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FISHING AND BASEBALL
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DRESDEN PARK, Minn., July 20.—(Special.)—Aboard the good ship Belle Saenger, the lawyers' special was ferried here from La Crosse for the annual picnic of city and county officials. Dresden park has come to life.

The boat pulled in before ten o'clock and discharged such personages as Art Holmes, District Attorney Otto M. Schlachach, Police Judge C. W. Hunt, J. E. McConnell and Judge Leonard Kleeber.

Helmsman McConnell conned the craft up the river like a veteran. Dr. Jens Rosholt commanded in the stern and Eugene H. Derr, candidate for sheriff, with his pockets bulging with cigars, was ballast amidship. His smile was broad and his cigars short-lived.

Several conferences were held en route by Judge Hunt and Mr. Schlachach regarding the speed of the boat. McConnell gave her much juice and the velocity of the craft apparently worried the officers of the peace. No arrests were made.

Park Superintendent J. H. Forrer was in ecstasy throughout the voyage. The scenery held his attention and he was seen to be mentally calculating the cost of transporting a good gob of the beauty to La Crosse.

Henry Gund and Val Keppel also made the trip with the barristers. Nine boat loads carried upwards of 250 people to the playground at the foot of the bluffs.

Forty Cases of Pop!
One might have thought a regiment about to encamp when the commissary arrived. Included were forty cases of pop, eighty cans of tomatoes and 180 pounds of veal. Skat and poker enthusiasts saw to it thirty packs of cards were taken along.

It was a sorry day for the finny ones of the Mississippi, especially with an experienced nabber of the type of John B. Weber wielding the poles. The undersheriff came in early in

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THOMPSON CHOSEN
MEMBER OF STATE
PILOTING BOARD

Local Man Put on Progressive Republican Executive Committee to Run Campaign

BOB STARTS IN AUGUST

First Speech Will Be Made in Milwaukee at Joint Meeting of Equity Society and Labor

James Thompson, La Crosse, on Wednesday afternoon was chosen a member of the executive committee of the republican progressive state central committee, which will have charge of the state campaign. The selection was made at a conference of the committee and candidates held in the Merrill building, Milwaukee, with an enthusiastic attendance.

Hear Optimistic Reports

Mr. Thompson returned early Thursday from Milwaukee, bringing back optimistic reports from all over the state, which were given to the committee by the members from the various districts.

Senator R. M. La Follette will open his primary fight in Milwaukee county on August 26, when he will speak at the state fair park before a joint meeting of the American Society of Equity and the Federated Trades council.

This announcement was made at Wednesday's meeting.

Goodland Is Chairman
W. S. Goodland, Racine, was elected chairman and treasurer of the committee, and G. E. Morton, Milwaukee, was named secretary. Morton will be in charge of the headquarters here.

W. D. Corrigan, Milwaukee, George Leicht, Wausau, and Mr. Thompson, La Crosse, will serve with Goodland and Morton as members of the executive committee, which will outline campaign plans and distribute literature. Morton announced that in Milwaukee county it is planned to hold a series of meetings in schoolhouses.

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Illinois Guard Says Fighters Cannot Fight Well When Worrying Over Folks at Home

FAULT ABSENT IN EUROPE

Men in the Trenches, Says Shepherd, Know Their Families Are Cared For; Funston Deplores Conditions

(Editor's Note.—William G. Shepherd, United Press correspondent, arrived in San Antonio yesterday for a visit to the militia camps. He will tell how American army conditions compare with those in Europe. Shepherd has visited every front in Europe.)

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(United Press Staff Correspondent.)
SAN ANTONIO, Texas, July 20.—

Not one soldier that rubbed elbows with in all the armies of Europe in the past two years ever worried as some of these American soldiers along the edge of Mexico.

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TEXAS CAMP NOT
HELL BUT FINE
HEALTH RESORT

La Crosse Soldiers at San Antonio Find It a Trifle Warm But Otherwise Great

FEW ANTS AND SPIDERS

Instead of Being Hostile to the Soldiers Insects Are Eager to Share Their Beds

CAMP WILSON, Texas, July 16.—(By Mail to the La Crosse TRIBUNE.)—The Third regiment, including the commands from La Crosse, is now settled down to the business of drilling for military perfection and such physical condition as will enable them to carry to a successful conclusion any campaign that Uncle Sam may send them upon.

All the boys are in the best physical condition right now, so far as feeling well and being free from dis-

ease is concerned. The simple and wholesome army food is putting

stomachs in good shape and the clean pure air that sweeps across the plains of Texas is bound to give them great vitality.

It's Health Resort
Instead of coming into a barren

land filled with deadly reptiles and insects and a climate that meant death to all but the fittest, the Badger troops upon arriving at San Antonio found themselves in a health

resort.

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FARMER ENDS LIFE
WITH DYNAMITE
CRAZED BY HEAT

Headless Body of Jos. Bartsch Found in Bed of Mormon Coulee Creek Thursday Morning

MISSING SINCE MONDAY

Home Life Was Happy and the Farm Prosperous; Only Insanity Seen as the Cause

Insanity due to the heat, it is believed, caused Joseph Bartsch, prosperous farmer of Mormon Coulee, to end his life by touching off a stick of dynamite in his mouth probably Monday evening. His headless body was found Thursday morning lying in the bed of Mormon Coulee creek on the Schumacher farm, a few miles from his home.

Bartsch had been missing since Monday afternoon. Wednesday afternoon neighbors called the police department in La Crosse, asking them to search for the missing man. His family had become alarmed at his prolonged absence, and had scoured the neighborhood, in an effort to find a trace of him.

Mental disturbance, due to the intense heat during the last fortnight, is the only cause to which friends of the farmer today would attribute his act. The farm which he bought six years ago, has been doing well in the past few years. He had a happy and comfortable home life, so far as is known.

Former Supervisor Herman Roessler, from whom Bartsch purchased his eighty-acre farm in the Mormon Coulee, a great friend of the dead man, brought the news of his tragic death to La Crosse this morning. He came to notify Coroner W. L. Tetley. It is probable that no inquest will be held.

Bartsch was a married man, the father of three children.

USE OF FLAG AS
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Senator Intimates He May Support Wilson in November Against the Moneyed Interests

DEFRIES APPROPRIATIONS

Badger Senator Says Destruction of Armament Across the Ocean Enough to Stop Preparedness Here

WASHINGTON, July 20.—Referring to what he called "the new-born policy of guaranteeing American investments by the American flag," Senator Robert M. La Follette, progressive-republican of Wisconsin, in the senate this afternoon, said:

"If that question is made the issue of the campaign, the people of the United States will vindicate the president most emphatically."

La Follette was insisting on his amendment to the naval bill that none of the battleships be used for the collection of debts owed American bondholders or concessionaries in foreign countries, when Democratic Whip Lewis asked:

Approves Mexican Policy
"Then you would approve the Mexican policy of President Wilson?"

"Most emphatically, yes," answered La Follette. "I hope the republican candidate will not endorse the proposed new born policy that when an American investor buys a concession worth \$1,000,000 for a tenth that sum, the American flag and arms shall be used to see he collects full face value on his speculation."

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Sees No Need for Increase
La Follette was engaged in a spirited debate with Senator Brandegee of Connecticut.

"What has happened," he demanded, "that we should increase our military appropriations from \$23,000,000 last year to \$340,000,000 this year?"

"All reason the other way. The other countries of the world are lo-

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Americans Are
Ordered Out

GALVESTON, Tex., July 20.—Refugees arriving here today from Vera Cruz reported that Consul Canada has ordered all Americans out of Mexico. They say Canada received instructions to that effect Sunday, despite apparently peaceful conditions.

FRENCH MOVE FORWARD
IN NEW OFFENSIVE ON
PERRONNE OBJECTIVEANTI-CATHOLIC
PLANK ADOPTED
BY THE PROHIBS

Committee Declares for Freedom of American Institutions and Separation of Church and State

SUSAN B. ANTHONY WINS

Platform Advocates a World Court and Destruction of Fleets Beyond Need for Protection

AUDITORIUM, ST. PAUL, July 20.—William E. Sulzer of New York received a great demonstration when he addressed the prohibition national convention this afternoon. In an address he said he was "not a candidate," but intimated he would accept a nomination.

AUDITORIUM, ST. PAUL, Minn., July 20.—The prohibition platform committee after a bitter internal fight reported a conservative anti-Catholic plank to the convention today.

The plank on which the fight raged in committee for several hours, advocated freedom for our American institutions and separation of the church and state.

The platform, among other things, advocated friendship for Mexico, the Susan B. Anthony suffrage amendment, no surrender of the Philippines, a preparedness policy for defense only, being "unalterably opposed to the militaristic principles of the republican and democratic parties."

The platform seeks a world's court, advocated "junking" battle fleets in the event of general disarmament, but pledges a force sufficient for protection. It opposes universal service and favors using the army in big constructive works of peace, and use of our navy in time of peace as merchant ships.

Steam Roller Fails
An attempt to "steam roller" the platform through the convention for adoption without having it printed or further time for consideration met with determined opposition and threats of a roll call. It was finally decided to await its adoption in formal course of order.

Platform
The first plank is that of prohibition. Most of the social justice

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CHILD SERIOUSLY
HURT BY FALLING
POLE AT CONCERT

Six Year Old Margaret Schmickala May Die from Fracture of Skull Wednesday Evening

Margaret, six year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Schmickala, 1105 South Eleventh street, was perhaps fatally injured when an electric light pole crashed down upon her head while she stood listening to a band concert at the West Avenue playground Wednesday evening. The falling pole fractured the little girl's skull. She was reported unconscious and very low at St. Francis hospital.

That no one else was injured by the sudden collapse of the light pole is regarded as exceptionally fortunate. The playground was crowded, and hundreds saw the accident. Several other little girls standing with Margaret Schmickala had narrow escapes when the pole fell without warning. It struck the child a glancing blow on the top of the head, rendering her unconscious.

Margaret was rushed immediately to St. Francis hospital, where Dr. Edward Evans performed an operation at once.

At the park department offices in the city hall it was said that the Schmickala girl was injured when a rush of the crowd to tear down Japanese lanterns strung on wires between the poles around the bandstand pulled the supports from their moorings. The concert had just been finished, and the crowd surged forward, it was said, forty or fifty seizing the wires upon which the lanterns were hung. Two poles fell when the crowd rushed. The second pole fell in the midst of a big crowd, but luckily hurt no one.

George Ritter, assistant park superintendent, was one of the first to bring aid to the injured girl. He picked her up and ran with her to the hospital.

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POSITIONS RECAPTURED

British Drive Germans from Longueval and Delville Woods, Which Fell in Counter Attack Tuesday

PARIS, July 20.—French troops resumed their offensive on both sides of the river Somme last night, with successful drives against the German lines both northwest and southwest of Peronne. It was officially announced today.

North of the Somme, French infantry established new lines along the Combes-Clery narrow gauge railway, taking 400 prisoners. South of the Somme French troops stormed and captured the entire first line trench between Berleux and Soyecourt.

The advance north of the Somme further straightened the French line to conform to the recent British advance. The attack south of the Somme was another aim in the campaign to clear the Germans from the bend of the Somme.

On the Verdun front, the French scored a notable success in last night's fighting, capturing a strongly fortified German work south of Fleury, northeast of Verdun and taking 150 prisoners. Another French detachment made further progress west of Thiaumont in the same region.

The Germans made an unsuccessful attack at 7 o'clock last night on French posts near Bolante, in the Argonne.

Two German aeroplanes were brought down during yesterday's fighting.

Recapture Positions

LONDON, July 20.—The British troops have recaptured in the village of Longueval and Delville wood most of the ground taken by the Germans Tuesday night, according to the British official statement issued Wednesday night.

A little more ground, taken by the Germans in their counter-attack at

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Prohibitionists Ready for Nominations with J. Frank Hanly of Indiana Evident Favorite

\$50,000 IN A LUMP

Little Back Home Man, of Same Simple Character as All Attending Meet, Starts the Ball Rolling

BY H. L. RENNICK
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

ST. PAUL, Minn., July 20.—The prohibitionist national convention is going to nominate some one—likely J. Frank Hanly of Indiana—for president today, but a little old man from Johnston, Fla., is its hero.

This little old man sat pretty far back in the convention hall today and talked to his gray haired motherly looking little wife, who shared the honors.

They were Mr. and Mrs. John P. Coffin, who own 12,000 acres of land down in Florida, but act and look just like the rest of the "home folks," who are attending the convention.

This was all they did: The prohibitionists need money to run a campaign. The chairman had called for contributions and they were coming in slowly. A voice back in the hall said something about \$50,000.

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Men in the Trenches, Says Shepherd, Know Their Families Are Cared For; Funston Deplores Conditions

(Editor's Note.—William G. Shepherd, United Press correspondent, arrived in San Antonio yesterday for a visit to the militia camps. He will tell how American army conditions compare with those in Europe. Shepherd has visited every front in Europe.)

BY WILLIAM G. SHEPHERD
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)
SAN ANTONIO, Texas, July 20.—Not one soldier that rubbed elbows with in all the armies of Europe in the past two years ever worried as some of these American soldiers along the edge of Mexico.

These Americans I refer to are worrying about their families back home; they don't know whether their wives and children have enough to eat. Such a deplorable situation could not possibly exist in any European army, for European governments care for the families of their soldiers.

The Mexican government doesn't; we don't. I've talked with hundreds of soldiers of six different armies in Europe. I talked today with my first soldier of the new American armies. I talked to Europeans in artillery pits, trenches and dugouts, but I talked with the American in a jitney going from San Antonio to the army post.

If the Germans knew Britishers were treating the families of their soldiers as we are treating ours, or vice versa, the fact would be blazoned worldwide as an indication of governmental cruelty by the enemy. It's not cruelty on our part, only oversight, and the lesson we've learned has cost unhappiness and embarrassment in many American homes.

If an American correspondent learned from a British soldier what I learned from Frank Shepkowski, my first American soldier, today, he would break the British censorship to get the story to the world. Shepkowski of Company H, Second Illinois infantry, will march up the steps

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TEXAS CAMP NOT
HELL BUT FINE
HEALTH RESORT

La Crosse Soldiers at San Antonio Find It a Trifle Warm But Otherwise Great

FEW ANTS AND SPIDERS
Instead of Being Hostile to the Soldiers Insects Are Eager to Share Their Beds

CAMP WILSON, Texas, July 16.—(By Mail to the La Crosse TRIBUNE.)—The Third regiment, including the commands from La Crosse, is now settled down to the business of drilling for military perfection and such physical condition as will enable them to carry to a successful conclusion any campaign that Uncle Sam may send them upon.

All the boys are in the best physical condition right now, so far as feeling well and being free from dis-

ease is concerned. The simple and wholesome army food is putting stomachs in good shape and the clean pure air that sweeps across the plains of Texas is bound to give them great vitality.

It's Health Resort
Instead of coming into a barren land filled with deadly reptiles and insects and a climate that meant death to all but the fittest, the Badger troops upon arriving at San Antonio found themselves in a health

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Bliss Approves Camp
WASHINGTON, July 20.—Major General Tasker H. Bliss, assistant chief of staff who is inspecting the militia on the border, Wednesday wired the war department that he had finished inspecting the Illinois and Wisconsin troops at Fort Sam Houston and found the camp in excellent military condition and the men reasonably well fed and sheltered.

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FARMER ENDS LIFE
WITH DYNAMITE
GRAZED BY HEAT

Headless Body of Jos. Bartsch Found in Bed of Mormon Coulee Creek Thursday Morning

MISSING SINCE MONDAY
Home Life Was Happy and the Farm Prosperous; Only Insanity Seen as the Cause

Insanity due to the heat, it is believed, caused Joseph Bartsch, prosperous farmer of Mormon Coulee, to end his life by touching off a stick of dynamite in his mouth probably Monday evening. His headless body was found Thursday morning lying in the bed of Mormon Coulee creek on the Schumacher farm, a few miles from his home.

Bartsch had been missing since Monday afternoon. Wednesday afternoon neighbors called the police department in La Crosse, asking them to search for the missing man. His family had become alarmed at his prolonged absence, and had scoured the neighborhood, in an effort to find a trace of him.

Mental disturbance, due to the intense heat during the last fortnight, is the only cause to which friends of the farmer today would attribute his act. The farm which he bought six years ago, has been doing well in the past few years. He had a happy and comfortable home life, so far as is known.

Former Supervisor Herman Roessler, from whom Bartsch purchased his eighty-acre farm in the Mormon Coulee, a great friend of the dead man, brought the news of his tragic death to La Crosse this morning. He came to notify Coroner W. L. Tetley. It is probable that no inquest will be held.

Bartsch was a married man, the father of three children.

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FRENCH MOVE FORWARD
IN NEW OFFENSIVE ON
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PLANK ADOPTED
BY THE PROHIBS

Committee Declares for Freedom of American Institutions and Separation of Church and State

SUSAN B. ANTHONY WINS
Platform Advocates a World Court and Destruction of Fleets Beyond Need for Protection

AUDITORIUM, ST. PAUL, July 20.—William E. Sulzer of New York received a great demonstration when he addressed the prohibition national convention this afternoon. In an address he said he was "not a candidate," but intimated he would accept a nomination.

AUDITORIUM, ST. PAUL, Minn., July 20.—The prohibition platform committee after a bitter internal fight reported a conservative anti-Catholic plank to the convention today.

The plank on which the fight raged in committee for several hours, advocated "freedom for our American institutions and separation of the church and state."

The platform, among other things, advocated friendship for Mexico, the Susan B. Anthony suffrage amendment, no surrender of the Philippines, a preparedness policy for defense only, being "unalterably opposed to the militaristic principles of the republican and democratic parties."

The platform seeks a world's court, advocated "junking" battle fleets in the event of general disarmament, but pledges a force sufficient for protection. It opposes universal service and favors using the army in big constructive works of peace, and use of our navy in time of peace as merchant ships.

Steam Roller Fails
An attempt to "steam roller" the platform through the convention for adoption without having it printed or further time for consideration met with determined opposition and threats of a roll call. It was finally decided to await its adoption in formal course of order.

Platform
The first plank is that of prohibition. Most of the social justice

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CHILD SERIOUSLY
HURT BY FALLING
POLE AT CONCERT

Six Year Old Margaret Schmickala May Die from Fracture of Skull Wednesday Evening

Margaret, six year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Schmickala, 1105 South Eleventh street, was perhaps fatally injured when an electric light pole crashed down upon her head while she stood listening to a band concert at the West Avenue playground Wednesday evening. The falling pole fractured the little girl's skull. She was reported unconscious and very low at St. Francis hospital.

That no one else was injured by the sudden collapse of the light pole is regarded as exceptionally fortunate. The playground was crowded, and hundreds saw the accident. Several other little girls standing with Margaret Schmickala had narrow escapes when the pole fell without warning. It struck the child a glancing blow on the top of the head, rendering her unconscious.

Margaret was rushed immediately to St. Francis hospital, where Dr. Edward Evans performed an operation at once.

At the park department offices in the city hall it was said that the Schmickala girl was injured when a rush of the crowd to tear down Japanese lanterns strung on wires between the poles around the bandstand pulled the supports from their moorings. The concert had just been finished, and the crowd surged forward, it was said, forty or fifty seizing the wires upon which the lanterns were hung. Two poles fell when the crowd rushed. The second pole fell in the midst of a big crowd, but luckily hurt no one.

George Ritter, assistant park superintendent, was one of the first to bring aid to the injured girl. He picked her up and ran with her to the hospital.

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HEADWAY MADE ON
BOTH SOMME FRONT
LINE STRAIGHTENED

Entire First Line Trench Between Berleau and Aoyecourt Captured by French; 400 Prisoners Taken

POSITIONS RECAPTURED
British Drive Germans from Longueval and Delville Woods, Which Fell in Counter Attack Tuesday

PARIS, July 20.—French troops resumed their offensive on both sides of the river Somme last night, with successful drives against the German lines both northwest and southwest of Peronne, it was officially announced today.

North of the Somme, French infantry established new lines along the Combes-Clery narrow gauge railway, taking 400 prisoners. South of the Somme French troops stormed and captured the entire first line trench between Berleux and Soyecourt.

The advance north of the Somme further straightened the French line to conform to the recent British advance. The attack south of the Somme was another aim in the campaign to clear the Germans from the bend of the Somme.

On the Verdun front, the French scored a notable success in last night's fighting, capturing a strongly fortified German work south of Fleury, northeast of Verdun and taking 150 prisoners. Another French detachment made further progress west of Thiaumont in the same region.

The Germans made an unsuccessful attack at 7 o'clock last night on French posts near Bolante, in the Argonne.

Two German aeroplanes were brought down during yesterday's fighting.

Recapture Positions
LONDON, July 20.—The British troops have recaptured in the village of Longueval and Delville wood most of the ground taken by the Germans Tuesday night, according to the British official statement issued Wednesday night.

A little more ground, taken by the Germans in their counter-attack at

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FLORIDA FARMER
SAVES PARTY FROM
FINANCIAL STRESS

Prohibitionists Ready for Nominations with J. Frank Hanly of Indiana Evident Favorite

\$50,000 IN A LUMP
Little Back Home Man, of Same Simple Character as All Attending Meet, Starts the Ball Rolling

BY H. L. RENNICK
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)
ST. PAUL, Minn., July 20.—The prohibitionist national convention is going to nominate some one—likely J. Frank Hanley of Indiana—for president today, but a little old man from Johnston, Fla., is its hero.

This little old man sat pretty far back in the convention hall today and talked to his gray haired motherly looking little wife, who shared the honors.

They were Mr. and Mrs. John P. Coffin, who own 12,000 acres of land down in Florida, but act and look just like the rest of the "home folks," who are attending the convention.

This was all they did: The prohibitionists need money to run a campaign. The chairman had called for contributions and they were coming in slowly. A voice back in the hall said something about \$50,000.

"What's that?" the crowd shouted.

Coffin's gray head popped up from the Florida delegation.

"Yes, that's what I said," he said. "Put me down for \$50,000."

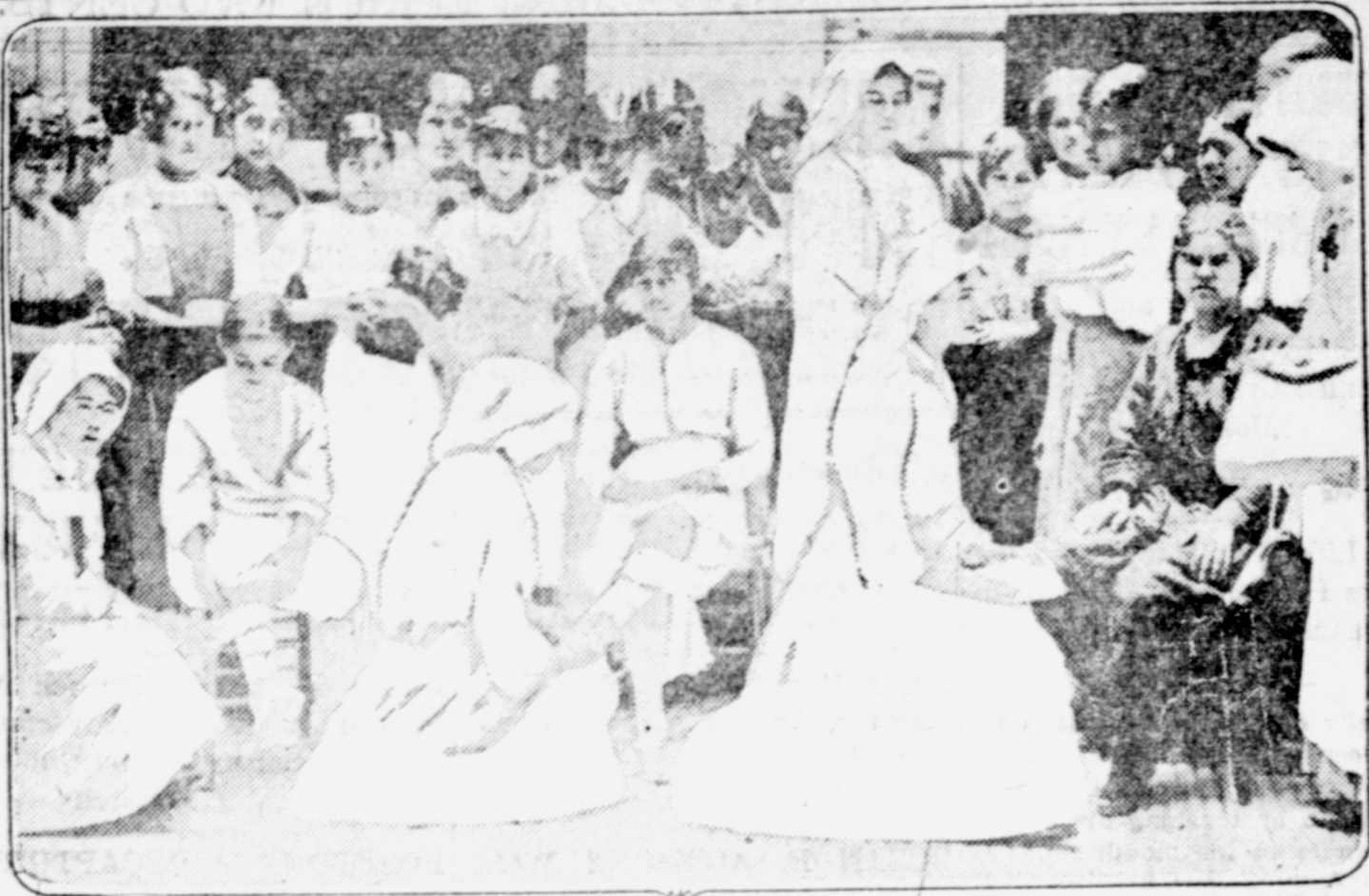
The convention cheered and delegates toppled over their chairs to get to Coffin. They picked him up and carried him to the platform. Mrs. Coffin looked embarrassed, but they picked her up, too, and carried her up there with him.

Coffin's contribution is believed

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A PAGE OF MILITIA AND BORDER INTEREST

PATRIOTIC YOUNG WOMEN OF MEXICO CITY OFFER SERVICES TO RED CROSS FOR AMBULANCE WORK ON THE BATTLEFIELD



Senoritas of Mexico City who have offered their services for ambulance work on the battlefield, being instructed in the art of bandaging.

Not to be outdone by their patriotic American sisters and to prepare for any emergency which may arise, many senoritas and senoritas of Mexico City have joined the Red Cross and offered their services. They are instructed at stated times in the many branches of field hospital work, of which bandaging is one of the most important.

TELEGRAMS SAY SPARTA BOYS ARE TREATED ROYALLY

Militiamen Visit with Townspeople at One Town Enroute and Boys Are Allowed to Duck in River

SPARTA FAIR OPENS SOON

Preparations for Event Are Biggest in History of Association; Governor Philipp to Speak One Day

SPARTA, Wis., July 20.—(Special.)—Several telegrams received from Captain R. A. Merrill of Company L tell of the hospitable reception given the boys on their way south. At Enid, Oklahoma, the Red Cross society had iced tea and sandwiches for them. The train stopped at a river three miles from Wichita, Kan., and the men went in swimming, and at El Reno, Okla., the company visited with the townspeople.

The entire trip was thoroughly enjoyed by all the company. There was no sickness or accident to mar it. The people all along the way were very kind to the boys.

The first battalion of the Third Wisconsin stopped forty-five minutes at Eldon, Iowa, and Colonel R. A. Richards allowed the men to march and stretch their limbs. Major John Turner headed the battalion for a

brisk march of a mile with the band headed by Sergeant Otto Brown.

The people gave a hearty welcome to the soldiers and the boys responded with Wisconsin yells, and sang "On Wisconsin," after which the band played a few selections to the delight of the citizens.

Fair Begins
Next Tuesday, July 25, begins the big Sparta fair and carnival and from the amount of preparations and arrangements made it would seem that it is going to be "bigger and better than ever."

Sidney N. Smith is secretary and he and the committees in charge have worked unceasingly to secure new and up-to-date attractions.

Among the special features booked for the fair are a troupe of contortionists, the swinging ladder act, the cannon ball act, the comedy juggling acts and several others which are new in this part of the state.

There will be ball games, hand concerts, public speakers, and best of all a time program of races.

Much improvement has been made on the buildings and grounds and they were never in as good condition as now.

A. W. McElroy of Hamlin, Minn., will start the races in the following program:

2:30 trot, purse \$300
2:24 trot, purse \$300
2:16 trot, purse \$300
2:25 pace, purse \$300
2:18 pace, purse \$300
2:16 pace, purse \$300
Free-for-all race, \$300
Three-year-old colts, trot or pace, purse \$300.

The association has offered liberal premiums.

This year there will be something new in the line of night races of all sorts in connection with the night carnival. The grounds will be elec-

tric lighted and in addition, there will be a large revolving searchlight.

The advance man for the E. L. Heinz Carnival company was here last week making arrangements for that company to show here at the fair.

Governor E. L. Philipp is expected to speak here, also Hon. Burt Williams, the democratic candidate for governor.

The Melrose Ladies' band of 25 pieces will play.

Local and Personal

Ole Knudsen has moved his shoe repairing outfit into the Teasdale building on West Main street, along with Mr. Curtis, dealer in harness goods.

Mrs. Doten and two children of Kendall, who have been visiting Miss Grace White, have returned to their home.

Arthur Crawford and wife of Chicago have been guests of friends in the city for several days. Mr. Crawford is a son of Dr. and Mrs. Crawford, who were residents of Sparta for so many years. He is employed on the Chicago Herald.

Mr. Jensen has moved his music store into the place formerly occupied by the Leffingwell and Harris bowling alley on Oak street.

Mrs. A. A. Kleppen of La Crosse has been a guest of relatives and friends in Sparta and Angelo the past week.

Mrs. Henry Johnson, residing near Cataract, was severely shocked by lightning Saturday morning in the storm which took place about 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Garlock is a patient in St. Mary's hospital, coming from Rockland, for an operation for appendicitis.

D. A. Taylor of Bangor, a graduate of Sparta high school, and a brother of Robert J. Taylor of this

Irish Colonel is Out



COL. LOUIS D. CONLEY
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Just as the Sixty-ninth, the famous Irish regiment of the New York national guard, was entraining for the Mexican border the other day General Leonard Wood issued an order that Colonel Louis D. Conley and Lieutenant Colonel John J. Phelan should not go. General Wood refused them admission into the federal service because of "physical disability", but he did not state the case more definitely.

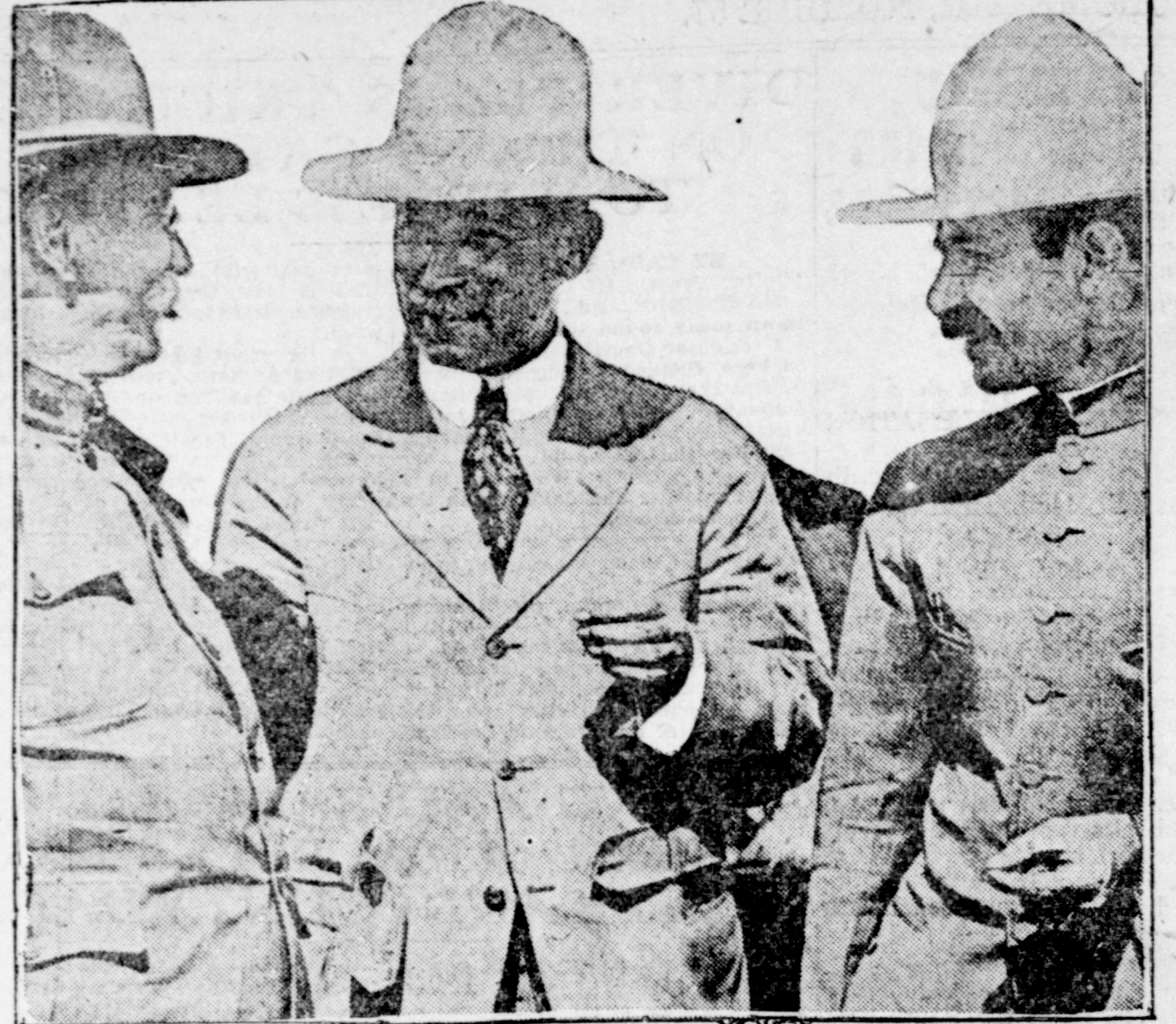
city, has formed a co-partnership with Dr. M. F. Ward of Norwalk for the purpose of being able to attend and engage in clinics at Harvard and Johns Hopkins universities for four or six months while Dr. Ward takes charge of his practice. Dr. Taylor expects to leave about August 15.

Miss Jessie Davis of Superior is a guest at the home of ex-Senator Howard Teasdale.

Mrs. Ray Graves is enjoying a visit from her sister, Mrs. Finch of Cincinnati, Ohio.

Mrs. John Heitman is the owner of the first "double six" touring car ever owned in this city. It is a beauty, a twelve cylinder Pathfinder.

AMERICAN COMMANDER CONFERS WITH MEXICAN LEADERS ON INTERNATIONAL BRIDGE; ALL SMILING WHEN PHOTOGRAPHED



Left to right: General George Bell, Jr., General Garcia and General Gonzales.

General George Bell, Jr., American commander of border troops at El Paso, Texas, recently held a conference with the Mexican leaders, Generals Garcia and Gonzales, on the international bridge between El Paso and Juarez. This picture, taken during the conference, shows the conferees broadly smiling. It is reported that the best of good feeling prevailed. The Mexicans declared their friendship for the United States.

HERBS DIGGING REMUNERATIVE TO UP RIVER PEOPLE

M'GREGOR, Iowa, July 20.—(Special.)—"White man want to raise all the corn and oats and dig all the ginseng. No good," an old Indian recently said in McGregor. Tuesday 117 pounds of medicinal roots were shipped by a drug merchant of this place. During the season of 1915 the same merchant bought 1,100 pounds of roots, paying out about \$5,000 for them. As he is but one of several buyers in and around McGregor, and this section is no more favorable to the growth of drug plants than hundreds of others in the Mississippi river counties where there is still much native timber, some idea of the drug plant industry to Iowa, Wisconsin and Minnesota is given. Figures are interesting particularly at this time when the excessive price of drugs as the result of the war is leading the government and the medicine companies to urge small farmers to give attention to the culture of medicinal plants.

Out of a list of twenty-three drug plants quoted by a St. Louis wholesaler concern nearly half were na-

tive to the upper Mississippi river region, though in many instances the prices are so low that farmers find it unprofitable to give time to gathering them. Ginseng and golden seal are the best paying and are dug in far larger quantities than any others. The former is now bringing \$5 to \$6.50 a pound. Last year it sold as high as \$3. Golden seal sells for \$4 a pound. Of the other wild drug plants lady slipper, wild ginger, seneca snake root and blood root are bought in largest quantities.

M'GOVERN TAKES STUMP NEXT WEEK AT OSHKOSH

MILWAUKEE, Wis., July 20.—Francis E. McGovern, candidate for the republican nomination for governor, will open his speaking campaign next Wednesday, July 26, at Oshkosh. He will speak in the evening in the Armory hall in that city.

Mr. McGovern is now working on his opening speech, which he plans to make a comprehensive discussion of the entire state situation and covering all issues. What direction he will go from Oshkosh has not been determined by his campaign committee. Ralph Smith, chairman, returned today from a trip through the state and said he was optimistic over the outlook.

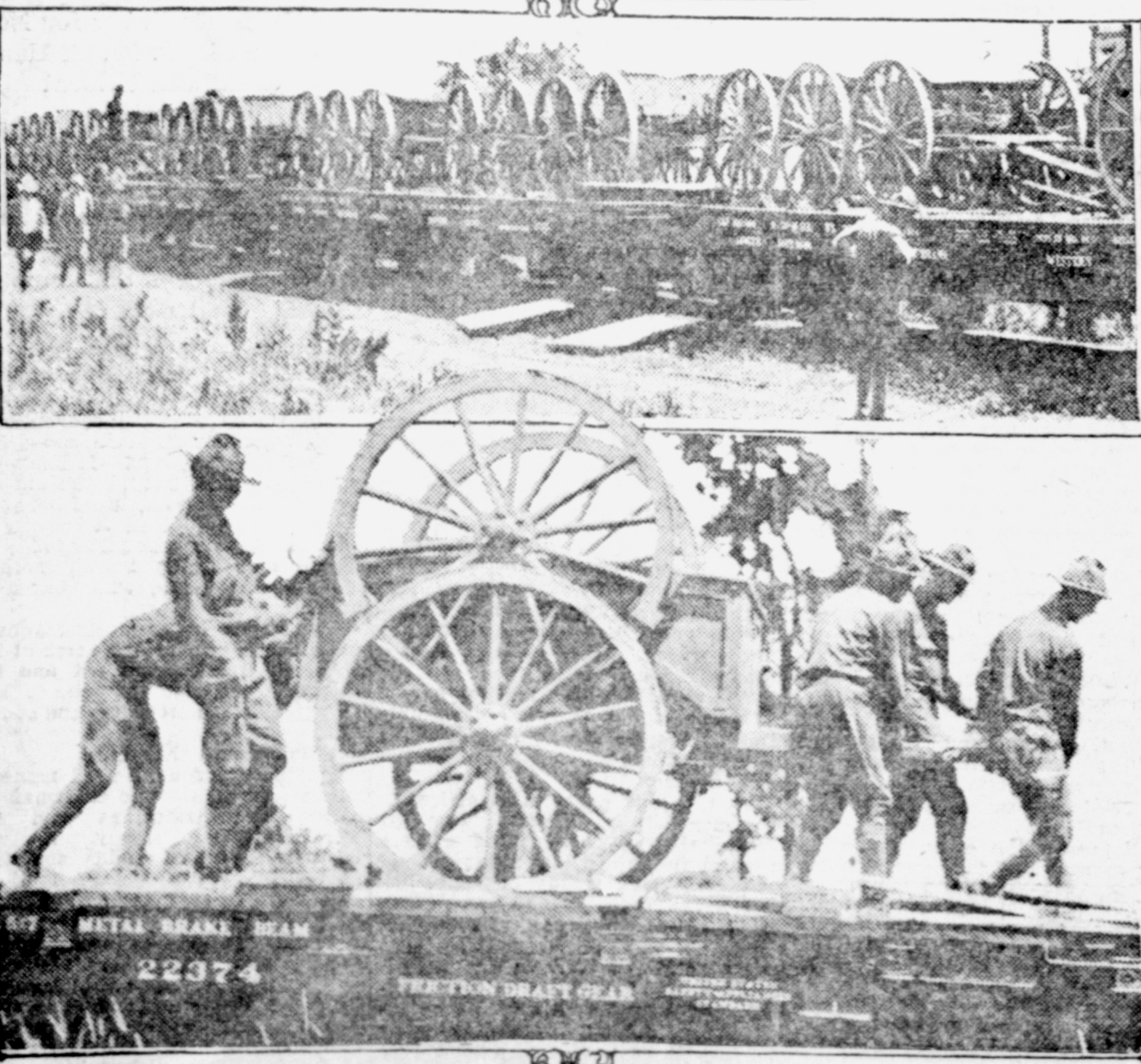
Why Women Write Good Stories.

The average woman possesses a greater variety of character, as of wardrobe, than does the man; she can more readily lay aside or suppress some important part of her, and bring some contrasting feature into view. She carries in herself a ready wealth that is more applicable to the story than to painting or to music. Thus it is that in painting and in music she is to be passed by man with ease, but in the story, if at all, with greatest effort.—George M. Stratton in the Atlantic.

DAILY WEATHER BULLETIN

	Lo.	Hi.	P.
Boston	70	90	0
Charleston	76	92	0
New York	70	86	0
Washington	72	86	.06
Galveston	82	88	0
Jacksonville	74	94	0
New Orleans	74	88	.82
Chicago	76	90	1.12
La Crosse	67	86	0
Madison	68	94	1.40
Memphis	74	90	.12
Milwaukee	70	88	.46
Bismarck	58	80	0
Huron	58	80	0
Kansas City	70	92	0
St. Paul	54	80	0
Boise	52	82	0
Denver	56	80	0
Helena	56	78	0
Miles City	54	88	0
Portland, Ore.	60	78	0

GUNS AS WELL AS SOLDIERS HAVE GONE TO MEXICAN BORDER



Trainload of guns on way to border; loading field piece on flat car.

Not only soldiers by tens of thousands, but field guns by hundreds have been sent to the Mexican border during the past few weeks. These pictures show some of the guns of the Indiana national guard as the Hoosier boys left Camp Benjamin Harrison, near Indianapolis.

CITY EDITORS OF BADGERS DAILIES MEET AT MADISON

MADISON, Wis., July 20.—The semi-annual meeting of the Wisconsin City Editors' association will be held in this city Saturday and Sunday, July 22 and 23. David Atwood of the Janesville Gazette, and Victor F. Barnett of the Wisconsin State Journal, are in charge of the arrangements. Paul F. Hunter, of the Sheboygan Press, is president of the association, and Louis Torreyson, Oshkosh Northwestern, secretary.

It is expected that about fifty city editors of Wisconsin dailies will be in Madison for the meeting. The first business session will be held following the opening banquet at 8 o'clock Saturday night. Fred L. Holmes, veteran correspondent in the state capital for the Associated Press, William W. Powell, former secretary of the board of public affairs and an old newspaperman, and Prof. Willard G. Blayer of the university school of journalism will speak at this meeting. Holmes' talk will be on "The Distribution and Desk Handling of State Capitol News." Powell will take up the possibility of the daily papers in the state issuing a weekly motion picture, depicting interesting happenings in Wisconsin. Prof. Blayer will speak on a general topic of interest to newspapermen.

Sunday morning the delegates will be taken for a long boat ride through the Yahara river, across Lake Monona and Lake Waubesa to the Waubesa Beach hotel, where one of Louie Waldorf's famous chicken dinners will be served. The second and last business meeting will be held at this time. Charles Dean, Associated Press chief in this state, and J. L. O'Sullivan, in the same capacity for the United Press, will take up the most vital problem facing Wisconsin newspapers, that of the proper distribution of state news.

A boil in the pot is worth two on the back of your neck.

BRING GLOOM TO MANY HOOSIERS



Lieut. H. R. Allen (top) and Lieut. John J. Boz.

These regular army men have caused much gloom to Indiana national guardsmen. They are conducting physical examinations of the Hoosier guardsmen being taken into the United States army at Fort Benjamin Harrison and have found many unfit.

Here's Some of Mexican Army the Boys May Face



Carranza's soldiers have trained many of their women to shoot, and this photograph shows three young women who have been taking revolver lessons for months. Maybe if Carranza is hard pressed—and he is very likely to be if the national guardsmen cross the border—some of these girls will face American troops.

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DAILY AVERAGE

1—Thur	9,216	16—Fri	9,348
2—Fri	9,202	17—Sat	9,325
3—Sat	9,275	18—Sunday	
4—Sunday		19—Mon	10,056
5—Mon	9,326	20—Tues	9,296
6—Tues	9,920	21—Wed	9,238
7—Wed	9,256	22—Thur	10,244
8—Thur	9,602	23—Fri	9,452
9—Fri	9,380	24—Sat	11,286
10—Sat	9,250	25—Sunday	
11—Sunday		26—Mon	9,457
12—Mon	9,222	27—Tues	9,880
13—Tues	9,262	28—Wed	9,904
14—Wed	9,420	29—Thur	10,768
15—Thur	9,400	30—Fri	9,655
Total			249,640
Average			9,602
Circulation July 1			9,755

Frank H. Burgess
I, Frank H. Burgess, business manager of the La Crosse Tribune, do solemnly swear that the actual number of copies of the paper named, printed and circulated during the month of June, 1916, was as above stated.

James Thompson
Subscribed and sworn to before me this first day of July, 1916.

Notary Public.

WEATHER
U.S. Weather Bureau

Sunrise tomorrow, 4:42 a. m.
Sunset tomorrow, 7:41 p. m.

Yesterday's Temperatures
High, 86; low, 67; precipitation, 0.

Forecasts
For Wisconsin: Fair tonight and Friday. Cooler tonight in extreme east portion. Slightly warmer Friday.

For Minnesota: Fair tonight and Friday. Warmer Friday in south portion.

For Iowa: Fair tonight and Friday. Somewhat warmer Friday.

Weather Conditions
Fair weather prevails this morning at nearly all stations, the exceptions being Milwaukee and Montgomery, where showers continue. Showers have occurred during the past 24 hours from the west gulf states to the upper lake region.

The temperature is generally lower from Kansas and Nebraska to the upper lakes and slightly higher in the Rocky mountain region. Maximum temperatures of 104 and 102 were reported yesterday from Oklahoma and northern Texas.

Moderate depressions are central north of Montana and in the south-west while an area of relatively high pressure overlies the country from the north Pacific coast to the plains states.

These pressure conditions indicate fair weather in this section for tonight and Friday with somewhat higher temperature Friday.

DAILY RIVER BULLETIN

	Flood	Stage	Height	Change
St. Paul	14	10.0	-0.2
Reeds Landing	12	6.3	-0.2
La Crosse	12	8.4	-0.4
St. Louis	30	18.1	-0.7
New Orleans	18	11.6	-0.3

River Forecast
St. Paul to La Crosse: The river will continue falling in the lower and central sections during the next 48 hours.

The Searchlight

TRANS-ATLANTIC AIRSHIPS
The great hydro-aeroplane ordered by Rodman Wamsamaker for a flight across the Atlantic ocean is almost completed and the details of the greatest flight yet attempted in the world are now being arranged. The machine is the largest yet built. It contains six 12-cylinder motors of 300 horsepower each. It can attain a speed of 100 miles an hour and carry six passengers. Its design includes a number of patents not found in any other machine, and it is confidently believed by those who are familiar with it that unless some unforeseen condition develops this hydro-aeroplane is fully capable of completing the passage in thirty hours.

Pay as You Go
To live within one's income is the secret of prosperity. Happiness is the heritage of the one who adheres to this rule, and a contented mind and growing riches come to him who buys only what he can pay for.

Some men require hot weather to bring out the best that is in them. But ma loafer paneth after the shade thinking maybe he will do something next fall.

THE SERVICE OF DR. D. C. JONES

The prospect that Dr. D. C. Jones, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, may leave La Crosse to accept the most coveted Presbyterian pastorate in the state, at Neenah, presages an event involving serious loss, not only to the church he may quit, but to the city at large.

Members of his church feel that La Crosse has had no more inspiring church experience than that represented by the stewardship of Dr. Jones. Eight years ago he found here a church in poor estate, its congregation small and discouraged, its wealthier parishioners mostly removed by death or gone to new fields, its finances inadequate and haphazard, its mission work neglected—in a word, a church with little devotion and less "pep".

It was a great task—that which Dr. Jones undertook, but he did not hesitate, nor did he complain of the slow, up-hill progress. A believer in fundamentals, he preached the Gospel as the foundation for his task—no "isms", no modern sensations, but always the Word of God, to make it a simple rule of life.

His message took hold upon men. It reached out for new converts. Slowly, but surely it told. The church grew and prospered. Money came more easily and from a wider following. Mission work was resumed on a larger scale. Little clubs and societies to deal with various interests and phases of church work were organized. The Sunday school attracted large attendance. Debts were paid and improvement made and now, as he contemplates leaving La Crosse for a new field, Dr. Jones sees in hand the means for paying off the last dollar of church incumbrance, for making needed extensions in the church property and for conducting the business of the church with cash for every transaction. He is surrounded by a congregation that has given its collective heart to the work, in numbers double that which was enrolled upon the day of his arrival.

However, it is not more his able and convincing preaching, not more his achievement in organization and finance, than his personal ministry that makes Dr. Jones great. His own conviction carries weight with others. His daily exemplification of the things he expounds builds for co-operation. He is a pastor of love. He has spent little time in the homes of his better-to-do people, but has been a constant visitor among the less fortunate. He understands and sympathizes with men and women who work with their hands, and enjoys their confidence. He has walked where the Master walked, where need and opportunity were greatest.

Dr. Jones has given eight of his best years to La Crosse and they have been years rich in progress. His next move will probably be to that place in which his labors will be rounded out in the golden years mellowed by meditation and experience. Not often does there come to a pastor an offer so alluring as that represented by the call of the banner church of Wisconsin, a call that represents a field of unusual service for himself and exceptional opportunity for his little family. Earnest though be the wish that he may stay, if Dr. Jones elects to go, he will be a selfish parishioner who protests. Rather is it the Christian's part to "God speed" the "good and faithful servant". And as his friends banish selfish regrets and rejoice in the better fortune of this man and his good wife, it will be a consoling thought that, no matter where he may be, the memory of Rev. D. C. Jones will always be a ministering influence in La Crosse.

"LET THE WOMEN DO THE (IR) WORK"

We believe our contemporary's suggestion that the women of La Crosse be made an active factor in the Chamber of Commerce is sound. Women have clearer vision and closer understanding in relation to some phases of life than have men, and along chosen lines they are most efficient workers. That their availability is not more general is due to no lack of qualifications, but to limitations which custom has placed upon their opportunity. We have here a city of men and women, which we desire to make prosperous and livable for men and women alike, and for the men to undertake the task without the co-operation of the women is to deprive the former of valuable assistance and the latter of just opportunity.

However, we can not agree that the activity of women in the Chamber of Commerce should be limited to a bureau bearing a sex name. Their co-operation is needed in the bureaus that now exist, and particularly in the Civic bureau could they wield useful influence. True, they have been invited in a general way to take memberships, but we believe that were the privilege and opportunity of membership pressed upon them with the vigor of the canvass among men, a large and potential group of earnest women would associate themselves with the Chamber.

UNITED STATES ABOUT TO HAVE MORE GOLD THAN ANY THREE OTHERS

WASHINGTON, July 20.—Treasury officials said that when all of the \$100,000,000 gold coming from Great Britain to the United States has arrived the total of gold coin and bullion in this country will equal the total of any other three countries in the world.

The present shipments are part of a necessary trade balance settlement. July 1 last the general stock of gold in the United States was \$2,439,921,932—more than the total in any other two countries.

The treasury department prepared for the United Press recapitulation of gold reserve held by foreign governments, to show the enormous surplus held in gold coin and bullion by the United States treasury.

The gold holdings (exclusive of that in circulation) of England, France, Spain, The Netherlands, Switzerland, Sweden, Italy, Russian Denmark, Germany and Norway totals \$3,387,549,766 against the \$2,439,921,932 held by the United States. Of the amount held abroad, England has \$200,300,503; France, \$279,983,021; Russia, \$749,421,534;

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**Quips and Cranks
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Out of the Mouths of Kids
Willie came to his mother with an expression of anxiety on his face. "Ma," he asked, "if a poor, hungry little boy was to come to the back door and ask for something to eat, would you give him that piece of pie that was left over from dinner?" "Yes, Willie, of course I would," said the mother.

Willie's face cleared. "All right," he said, "just wait a minute till I run round to the back door."

Take All or None
Full of loverlike chivalry, the young fellow sought out the father of his adored one.

"Sir," said he in a tense voice, "I have come to ask you for one of your greatest treasures—something which will illumine my whole life. Mr. Jimps, I ask the hand of your daughter in marriage."

Old Jimps, a retired farmer, was a bluff old chap. He looked the suitor up and down and then asked gruffly: "Her hand—only her hand? Why don't 'ee ask for the gal?"

A Lawyer's Problem
A young man in Chicago had lost his aunt. He seemed so dejected thereby that a friend aware of the true situation, asked:

"Why do you look so sad? You never appeared to care much for the old lady."

"I didn't," said the youth, dolefully, "but I was the means of keeping her in a lunatic asylum for a number of years. She has left me all her money, and now I have got to prove that she was of sound mind."

A Hint
"When I don't want a man's attentions and he asks me where I live, I say in the suburbs."

"Ha, ha! Excellent; but where do you really live, Miss Brown?"

"In the suburbs, Mr. Short."—Atlanta Journal.

Summer Sport
Are you engaged to Will Trav-
erse?" queried Marjorie.

"Yes. Are you?" returned her friend, with rapt interest.

How Many
"I would love if I dared," said the enthralled young man to the fair telephone operator, "to press some kisses upon those ruby lips."

"Yes," said she abstractedly. "Number, please."

Alas! It's funny how a "soulmate" never seems to happen around until you are irrevocably married to somebody else.

THE TRIBUNE'S DAILY TRAVELETTE
(By Nicksab)

MOSUL
Mosul is one of the few places left today where Romance in her old familiar garb still walks abroad by day. According to the poets of course, Romance has only changed her clothing; she is still to be found everywhere, a golden thread woven through warp and woof of the drab fabric of modern civilization. But in Mosul she is doing business in the good old revolver-and-stiletto fashion of the old west and mediaeval Italy. You do not have to be clairvoyant to see Romance in Mosul.

The Turkish authorities, who are realists by temperament and training have a harsher name for the quality. They say that Mosul is the most lawless spot in all their lawless Asiatic dominions, given over irredeemably to the evils of dissension and disorder. Men are still shot there in broad daylight, officials keep their eyes open or shut according to the size of the bribe which dazzles their sight—and they are easily dazzled in this particular fashion, though their vision is strong enough for most purposes.

Like many of the cities in this region, the discarded cradle of civilization, modern Mosul is built upon ruins and among them. The ancient walls are being depleted daily for building stone, and the silence of night is occasionally broken by the crash of a toppling tower that nobody takes the trouble to shore up. The old city must have been imposing and beautiful; the new one is neither. It is hot, dusty, unclean and crowded; and it does not care.

There are no trees in the plain about and hence there is very little wood. The city is built of stone covered with stucco. There is a soft rock peculiar to the neighborhood which is freely employed in building as it can be easily worked into shape, but does not last, so that new ruins are continually complicating the old.

The people of Mosul are Arabs and Moslems for the most part, though there are a few thousand Christians who remain from an earlier period, and a few thousand Jews. The three races have gravitated toward a common standard in appearance and habits, though each still retains its own religion. One result of this is particularly welcome to the average native of Mosul. Friday is the Moslem Sabbath, and Saturday the Jews do no work, and Sunday is observed by the Christians. So in effect there are three holidays every week.

PRUDENCE OF THE PARSONAGE
By ETHEL HUESTON
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"It is the will of Skull and Crossbones that this luscious fruit be turned over to them immediately."

Constance faltered, held it out, drew it back.

"If I do, I suppose you'll give me part of it, anyhow," she said, and her eyes glittered.

"Not so, damsel," said Carol ominously. "The Ancient and Honorable takes—it never gives."

For a moment Constance wavered. Then she flamed into sudden anger. "I won't do it, so there," she cried. "I think you're mean selfish pigs, that's what I think! Taking my very own pear, and—but you won't get it! I don't care if I never get into your silly old society—you don't get a bite of this pear, I can tell you that!" And Constance rushed upstairs and slammed a door. A few seconds later the door opened again, and her cherished badge was flung down upon Skull and Crossbones.

"There's your old black string smeared up with red ink!" she yelled at them wildly. And again the door slammed.

Carol picked up the insulted badge, and studied it thoughtfully. Lark spoke first.

"It occurs to me, Fair Gwendolyn, that we would do well to keep this little scene from the ears of the just and righteous Prudence."

"Right, as always, Brave Knight," was the womanly retort. And the twins betook themselves to the hay-mow in thoughtful mood.

A little later, when Prudence and Fairy came laughing into the downstairs hall, a white-faced Constance met them. "Look," she said, holding out a pear, divided into three parts, just like Gaul. "Mr. Arnold gave me this pear, and here's a piece for each of you."

The girls thanked her warmly, but Prudence paused with her third almost touching her lips. "How about the twins?" she inquired. "Aren't they at home? Won't they break your pledge if you leave them out?"

Constance looked up sternly. "I offered them some half an hour ago, and they refused it," she said. "And they have already put me out of the society!" There was tragedy in the childish face, and Prudence put her arms around this baby-sister.

"Tell Prue all about it, Connie," she said. But Constance shook her head.

"It can't be talked about. Go on and eat your pear. It is good."

"Was it all right?" questioned Prudence. "Did the twins play fair, Connie?"

"Yes," said Constance. "It was all right. Don't talk about it."

But in two days Constance repented of her rashness. In three days she was pleading for forgiveness. And in four days she was starting in on another two weeks of pledgedom, and the desecrated ribbon with its drop of blood reposed once more on her ambitious breast.

For three days her service was sore indeed, for the twins informed her, with sympathy, that she must be punished for insubordination. "But after that, we'll be just as easy on you as anything, Connie," they told her. "So don't you get sore now. In three days, we'll let up on you."

A week passed, ten days, and twelve. Then came a golden October afternoon when the twins sat in the haymow looking out upon a mellow world. Constance was in the yard, reading a fairy story. The situation was a tense one, for the twins were hungry, and time was heavy on their hands.

"The apple trees in Avery's orchard are just loaded," said Lark aimlessly. "And there are lots on the ground, too. I saw them when I was out in the field this morning."

"Some of the trees are close to our fence, too," said Carol slowly. "Very close."

Lark glanced up with sudden interest. "That's so," she said. "And the wires on the fence are awfully loose."

Carol gazed down into the yard where Constance was absorbed in her book. "Constance oughtn't to read as much as she does," she argued. "It's so bad for the eyes."

"Yes, and what's more, she's been getting off too easy the last few days. The time is nearly up."

"That's so," said Lark. "Let's call her up here." This was done at once, and the unfortunate Constance walked reluctantly toward the barn, her fascinating story still in her hand.

"You see, they've got more apples than they need, and those on the ground are just going to waste," continued Carol, pending the arrival of the little pledge. "The chickens are pecking at them, and ruining them."

"It's criminal destruction, that's what it is," declared Lark.

Constance stood before them respectfully, as they had instructed her to stand. The twins hesitated, each secretly hoping the other would voice the order. But Lark as usual was obliged to be the spokesman.

"Damsel," she said, "it is the will of Skull and Crossbones that you hie ye to yonder orchard—Avery's. I mean—and bring hither some of the golden apples basking in the sun."

"What!" ejaculated Connie, startled out of her respect.

Carol frowned.

Constance hastened to modify her tone. "Did they say you might have them?" she inquired politely.

"That concerns thee not. 'tis for thee only to render obedience to the orders of the Society. Go out through our field and sneak under the fence where the wires are loose, and hurry back. We're awfully hungry. The

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trees are near the fence. There isn't any danger."

"But it's stealing," objected Connie. "What will Prudence—"

"Damsel!" And Connie turned to obey with despair in her heart.

"Bring twelve," Carol called after her, "that'll be four apiece. And hurry, Connie. And see they don't catch you while you're about it."

After she had gone, the twins lay back thoughtfully on the hay and stared at the cobwebby roof above them.

"It's a good thing Prudence and Fairy are downtown," said Lark sagely.

"Yes, or we'd catch it," assented Carol. "But I don't see why! The Averages have too many apples, and they are going to waste. I'm sure Mrs. Avery would rather let us have them than the chickens."

They lay in silence for a while. Something was hurting them, but whether it was their fear of the wrath of Prudence, or the twinges of tender consciences—who can say?

"She's an unearthly long time about it," exclaimed Lark, at last. "Do you suppose they caught her?"

This was an awful thought, and the girls were temporarily suffocated. But they heard the barn door swinging beneath them, and sighed with relief. It was Connie! She climbed the ladder skillfully, and poured her golden treasure before the arch thieves, Skull and Crossbones.

There were eight big tempting apples.

"Hum! Eight," said Carol sternly. "I said twelve."

"Yes, but I was afraid some one was coming. I heard such a noise through the grapevines, so I got what I could and ran for it. There's three apiece for you, and two for me," said Connie, sitting down socially beside them on the hay.

But Carol rose. "Damsel, begone," she ordered. "When Skull and Crossbones feast, thou canst not yet share the festive board. Rise thee, and speed."

Connie rose, and walked soberly toward the ladder. But before she disappeared she fired this parting shot, "I don't want any of them. Stolen apples don't taste very good, I reckon."

Carol and Lark had the grace to flush a little at this, but however, the stolen apples tasted, the twins had no difficulty in disposing of them. Then full almost beyond the point of comfort, they slid down the hay-chutes, went out the back way, climbed over the chicken coops—not because it was necessary, but because it was their idea of amusement—and went for a walk in the field. At the farthest corner of the field they crawled under the fence, cut through a neighboring potato patch, and came out on the street. Then they walked respectfully down the sidewalk, turned the corner and came quietly in through the front door of the parsonage.

Prudence was in the kitchen preparing the evening meal. Fairy was in the sitting-room, busy with her books. The twins set the table conscientiously, filled the wood-box, and in every way labored irreproachably. But Prudence had no word of praise for them that evening. She hardly seemed to know they were about the place. She went about her work with a pale face, and never a smile to be seen.

Supper was nearly ready when Connie sauntered in from the barn. After leaving the haymow, she had found a cozy corner in the corn-crib, with two heavy lap robes discarded by the twins in their flight from wolves, and had settled down there to finish her story. As she stepped into the kitchen, Prudence turned to her with such a sorry, reproachful gaze that Connie was frightened.

"Are you sick, Prue?" she gasped.

Prudence did not answer. She went to the door and called Fairy. "Finish getting supper, will you, Fairy? And when you are all ready, you and the twins go right on eating. Don't wait for father—he isn't coming home until evening. Come up-stairs with me, Connie; I want to talk to you."

Connie followed her sister soberly, and the twins flashed at each other startled and questioning looks.

The three girls were at the table when Prudence came into the dining-room alone. She fixed a tray-supper quietly and carried it off upstairs. Then she came back and sat down by the table. But her face bore marks of tears, and she had no appetite. The twins had felt small lifting for their food before, now each mouthful seemed to choke them. But they dared not ask a question. They were devoutly thankful when Fairy finally voiced their interest.

"What is the matter? Has Connie been in mischief?"

"It's worse than that," faltered Prudence, tears rushing to her eyes again.

"Why, Prudence! What in the world has she done?"

(To Be Continued)

NEWS NOTES from MOVIELAND
- 67 DAISY DEAN -

Pearl White is writing a novel which is to be pretty much a story of her own life.

Her life, if one may judge by the glimpses she gives of it in a recent interview, has been picturesque enough to make an interesting autobiography.

She was one of ten children at Sedalia, Missouri.

Her father was Irish and her mother Italian.

And the family was poor.

She was selling newspapers on the street of her home village when along came an itinerant showman. Pearl White's career began then as little Eva in a one-bloodhound company playing "Uncle Tom's Cabin."

Later she was in a circus, and still later was back on the stage.

She began her movie career when that art was in its very infancy. The studio in which her first pictures were photographed was over a lively stable.

Miss White's fame was won in thrillers, for which her circus experience had fitted her. She was the star of the "Perils of Pauline" and the exploits of Elaine, and more recently has been featured in "The Iron Claw."

Lule Warrenton, one of the best-known character women in the film business, has been made a director at the Universal, where she will produce pictures intended especially for children. She is now at work with her juvenile company and things are coming along nicely.

Mary Garden has at last fallen to the lure of the mazzima in the merry motion picture field and has been engaged by the Fox company to do a picture or so. With the entry of famous grand opera stars in pictures the price of "vampires" is steadily going up.

Raymond Wells has been engaged by the Universal to direct little Lena Baskette, the child actress, in a series of Egyptian productions. Mr. Wells gathered half a county full of limelight when he directed the production of "Julius Caesar" for the Actors' Fund in Hollywood.

Max Figman and his wife, Lolita Robertson, are appearing together in

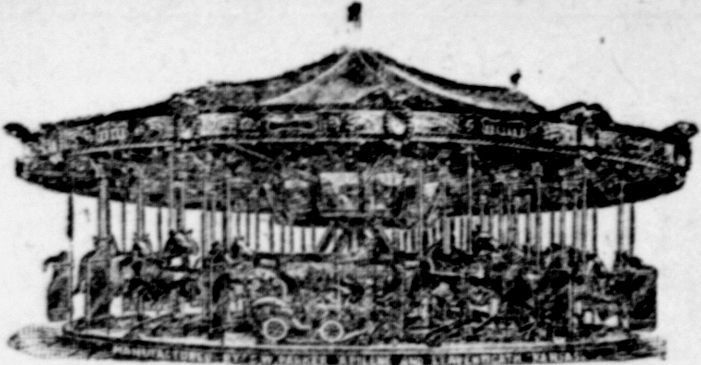


a new series of comedies to be made by the Metro company. The new series will follow the policy that has made a success of a similar series by the same producers, featuring Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Drew.

Miss Zena Keefe, movie beauty, is also an entomologist. She caught three butterflies for her collection in her first day at the Fox studios at Grantwood, N. J. Also two beetles and a grasshopper.

Billie Burke is devoting herself to the cultivation of phlox at her summer home, Hastings-on-the-Hudson.

Anna Little is soon to be seen western serial. She will get opportunity for hard riding.



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De Soto, Wis.

DE SOTO, Wis., July 20.—(Special.)—Cashier R. P. Loftus of the De Soto State bank, together with his wife and little son, Paul, departed Tuesday in their auto on a vacation trip to Everley, Ia.

A. M. Clark of La Farge has joined his family in a visit with relatives in the village.

Miss E. D. Tenney is spending a few days in La Crosse.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kieffer and two little children, Mrs. N. A. Torgerson and O. B. Copper, Sr., motored to this village from Sugar Creek Monday for a visit at the editorial home. Mr. and Mrs. Kieffer are from Westington Springs, S. D., where the former holds a position as rural mail carrier, from which he has leave of absence on his annual vacation and made the trip from that city to Ferryville in his Ford car.

A recital will be given by the Misses Mary and Margaret Graves of Virroqua on Wednesday, July 26 at the Retreat M. E. church. Mary Graves will give miscellaneous readings and Margaret, dialect. The same program will be given in De Soto July 27.

Mrs. Mary A. Powell of Waldheim, Mont., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. L. G. Hickok and her brothers, John and Frank Adams, of this village.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Collins of Spirit Lake, Ia., arrived Tuesday for a visit with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ringenbach of this village.

John M. Vance of West Prairie sustained a severe paralytic stroke Saturday evening which leaves him entire side helpless. Mr. Vance is well along in years and the chances for recovery are said to be slight.

J. T. Bredos and family of the Retreat community left Monday on a vacation trip through the west. They will go first to Rutland, S. D., then to Neuman Grove, Neb., to visit with relatives in each place. They will visit Mr. Bredos' sister, Anna, who resides at Charles City, Ia., on their return.

Mrs. Amy Powell of La Crosse visited the forepart of the week with relatives in this village.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. McKearney of Michigan, superintendent of construction with the Hastings Industrial company, who has been here the past month attending to the construction of the De Soto Farmers' creamery, departed last Monday for Fairburn, S. D., where the company is building a creamery.

Mrs. C. F. Page of this village, now enjoys the distinction of being great grandmother, her grandson and granddaughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Cooper of Lynxville, announce the birth of a son.

S. L. Owen, wife and son, Gerald, together with E. W. Owen and family, arrived Monday noon from Oxford Junction, Ia. The former family has come to resume residence in their home here. Mrs. Owen is in very poor health.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Riddell, Chicago artists, arrived here Sunday evening in a car, and are guests at the Bay State house. Each summer season the Riddells come here to spend their vacation and pain some of the scenic beauties around De Soto.

Miss Grace Sidle and Louise Ringenbach attended the chautauqua at Prairie du Chien Wednesday.

LONG TRIP AT 85

LORAIN, Ohio, July 20.—Although she is 85, Mrs. M. J. Travis, Los Angeles, made a three thousand mile automobile trip with her son, F. C. Ross, to this city to visit with friends.

Worth While Quotation.

To be protected is—more wonderful than—being loved.—Peggy in "Persuasive Peggy."

NORTH SIDE

SPORTS AND DANCES WITH MUSIC TO BE GIVEN AT COPELAND

Ice Cream Social to Be Held During Concert Friday Night for Benefit of the Playground

"Booster night" for Copeland park is scheduled for Friday night. It will be a gala affair.

Preceding a municipal concert to be given at the park by the North Side Military band, a splendid playground program will be held. The girls of the playgrounds will go through exercises taught them by Miss Eunice Gibson, in charge of girls' work at Copeland, besides a series of aesthetic dances.

The evening of entertainment will be opened with athletic events in the boys' division, under the direction of Elmer Wachter, in charge of boys' work at Copeland. A North side team will cross bats with a South side aggregation, while on another part of the field a volley ball game is being played between teams representing Copeland and another playground. Two North side teams will hook up in a game of outdoor basket ball.

The park is expected to put on the appearance of a Venetian fete after sunset, when an ice cream social for the benefit of the Copeland playground will be held. Ice cream will be served during the concert, the third of the week in the city.

FREE CONCERTS TO BE GIVEN BY BAND OF EVANS CARNIVAL

Professor Bindi's Royal Italian band, attached to the carnival, which will show on the north side next week, will give free concerts at Copeland park Sunday. The concerts will be held at 2 and 7 o'clock. Concerts will be given daily after Sunday at Fourth and Main streets.

The carnival company is expected in La Crosse Sunday, it being scheduled to open Monday morning.

Nine people have entered the contest for a diamond ring and watch being conducted by the North Side Amusement company, under the auspices of which the carnival is being given.

North Side Briefs

O'Neil Shoe Store. \$6 shoe at \$4.75. Thomas Hurley and daughters, Anna and Margaretta, Clinton, Ill., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Dorsey, 1540 Wood street.

Mr. and Mrs. Sexell and daughter of Little Rock, Ark., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Sorenson, 1437 Wood street. Mrs. Sexell was formerly Miss Irene Sorenson.

Electric fans. A. O. Colby.

Miss Ruth Snyder, 1506 Wood street, is a Virroqua caller.

Miss Pauline Webber, Clinton, Ill., is renewing north side acquaintances.

Henry Hurley, Albany, Ill., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. Dorsey, 1540 Wood street.

Miss Alma Snyder, 1506 Wood street, is renewing acquaintances in Rock Island, Ill.

Dr. R. E. Flynn has moved his office to 305-307 State Bank Bldg.

Mrs. E. C. Glasson, 1516 George street, is spending a few days in Prairie du Chien.

Mrs. F. C. Hayes, 1411 George

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RUSHFORD GRAIN REVIVING AFTER STORM FLAILING

Vinegar Hill Man Suffers Heavy
Loss in Storm; Fire Destroys
Barn and Cattle and Large
Amount of Hay

RUSHFORD, Minn., July 20.—(Special.)—The grain in this section of the country is resuming its normal condition, following the severe flailing it received during the hard storm of last Saturday night. Garden truck was also badly twisted, but the greatest injury was done to oats, corn and the like crops, which were so badly beaten down that it was at first feared much damage was done. The severe heat of the present has been just what corn has needed and the haymakers have been rejoicing over the dry weather, likewise that the damage to crops is much less than at first believed.

Big Storm Damage
Bert Morrison of Vinegar hill suffered a severe loss in the Saturday night's storm. His large barn, together with nine calves and twenty-five loads of hay, was totally destroyed by fire after being struck by lightning. The property was insured for but part of the loss sustained.

Local and Personal
A special Great Northern coach brought to this city last Monday evening William Robertson and family, who have been living at their summer home at Plato, Canada, since June. Mr. Robertson, who suffered a stroke of paralysis about two weeks ago, was able to make the trip without much discomfort, but his condition is such as to cause grave apprehension upon the part of relatives and friends. He has been able to sit out upon the home-lawn in an easy chair during the extreme heat of the past few days and is able to converse a trifle with his family, but the latter with difficulty. Those who accompanied him home to Rushford were his wife and three daughters: Mrs. Charles Simonds and the Misses Bernice and Beth Robertson. Mr. Simonds also came with them, as did Mr. S. Randall, a brother of Mrs. Robertson's. It is very likely that Mr. Robertson's recovery will require many weeks, if not months, but it is hoped for, eventually.

A jolly party of five Rushford young ladies departed upon last Monday's afternoon train for the shady retreat of Long Lake, Wis., where the father of one young lady has a summer cottage. The fortunate young miss was: Martha Moe, assistant at the Rushford post office; Lizzie Anderson, saleslady at the Bargain basement; Guri Jaastad, bookkeeper and cashier at Julsrud's store and also Rosa Knudson and Mattie Julsrud. Miss Jaastad's father owns the cottage at which they will stay for the two weeks' rest.

Bertha and Leonard Reius of this city gave a jolly birthday party to a number of their young friends last Tuesday afternoon at their home in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Berg of this city received word last week from their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Marass, of the vicinity of Moosejaw, Canada, that Mrs. Marass was in very poor health and might be obliged to come to the states for medical aid. A later letter, however, stated that her condition was somewhat improved, but was still far from satisfactory. Miss Lily Berg contemplates going to her sister's home should further word from there necessitate the trip.

Funeral services for the late Hans Rud were held on Sunday from the Rushford Lutheran church. Mr. Rud was known by almost every one in this locality and will be missed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Robertson and two oldest sons, Lewis and James, departed on the last Wednesday's noon train for Fairmount and other points west, where they will make a ten days' stay. The trip had been planned by auto but the rain of Wed-

JIM THORPE'S SPEED BIG HIT IN THE A. A.



Jim Thorpe.

Jim Thorpe, who is playing fast ball for the Milwaukee Brewers, seems to have the stolen base record for the season put away on ice. Though his batting is not high, the Indian has shown so much speed on the bases and in the field that the Cincinnati Reds have been trying to grab him up.

nesday morning made a change in the mode of travel.

Mrs. John Akre, who has been a guest of Preston brothers for a time, has returned to her home in Brooklyn.

CHORUS GIRL SHORTAGE IMPRESARIOS FINICKY

NEW YORK, July 20.—Woeful tidings these, to the tired business man!

There's a shortage in chorus girls. Sixteen hundred are needed for Broadway musical comedies now in the making—and so far only 200 have been located who measure up to the standards required by such caterers to the eye or audiences as Ned Wayburn, Chamberlain Brown, Bruce Edwards and the rest of them.

First of all, let it be explained that the 1916 chorus girl will have to be a beauty. Patrons of the girl shows nowadays want more curves, more pep, more voice and more girls than ever before, the experts say. The 1916 type must be slender but not angular, must know how to dance well and must smile. Also she must have good looking bare feet and er—blushing skin on her er—limbs, because tights are no longer au fait.

CARES FOR FAMILY AT 15

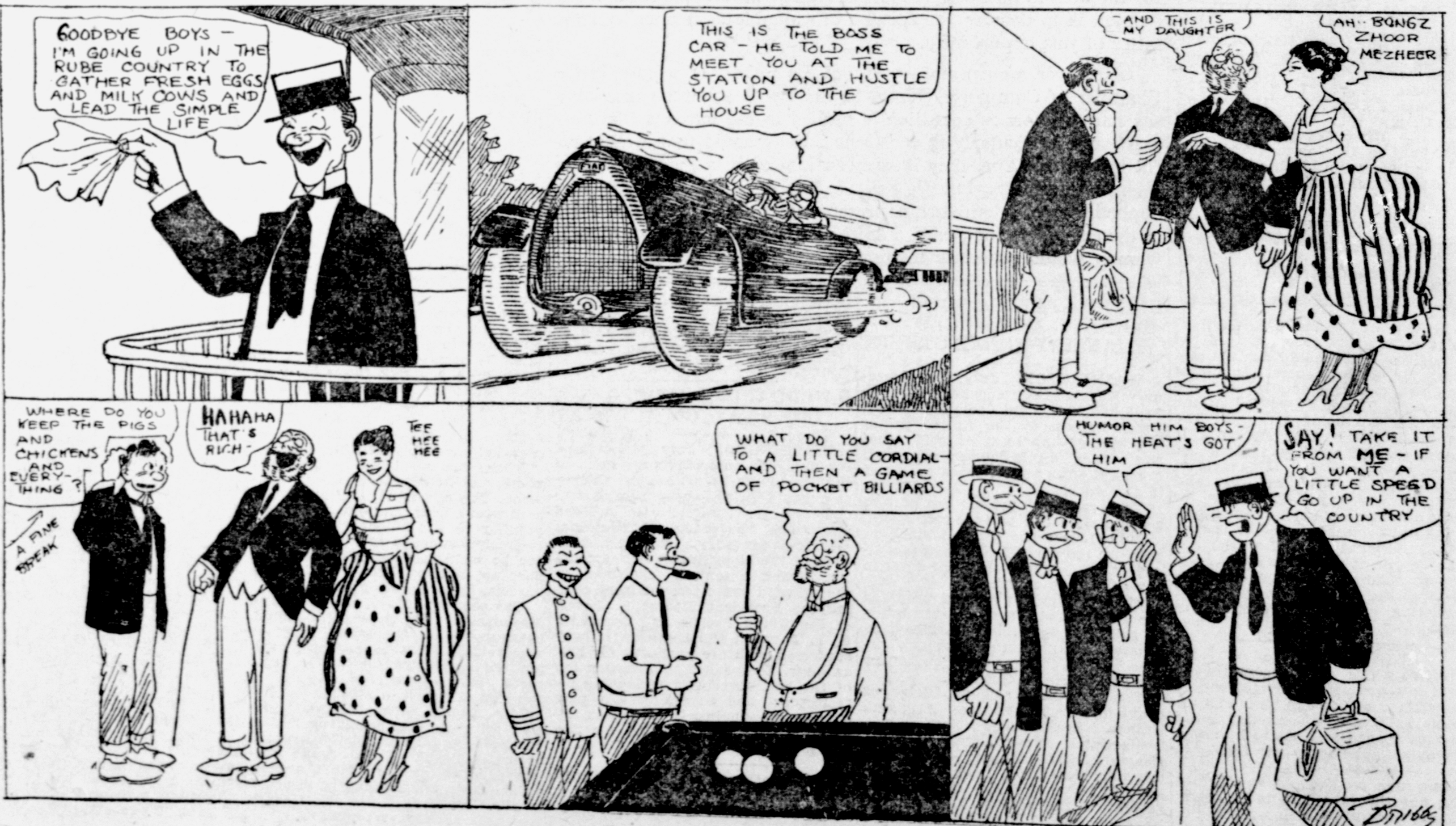
NEW YORK, July 20.—Tommy Mulligan, 15, is the eldest of four children left motherless a few weeks ago. He got a job today—and marched his "family" over to police headquarters to care for them until he can save up enough to reclaim it.

Daily Thought.

Many delight more in giving of presents than in paying off debts.—Sir Philip Sydney.

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PERSONALS

Electric fans. A. O. Colby. Senator Otto Boshard left Tuesday morning for a business trip to Holmen.

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Electric fans. A. O. Colby. Miss Tillie Miller, Rose street, has returned from a several weeks' visit in Boosters, Minn.

Excellent carriages. Gateway City Transfer Co. Phone 179. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Anderson of Austin, Minn., have returned from a visit with La Crosse friends.

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DEUTSCHLAND BOATS MENACE TO THE U. S. ALLIES MAINTAIN

British and French Ambassadors Present Views of Government Protesting Against Decision in the Case

WASHINGTON, July 20.—In accordance with instructions from their governments, Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, the British ambassador, and M. Jusserand, the French ambassador, on Wednesday set forth to the state department the reasons why the United States should not regard vessels of the Deutschland type as merchantmen.

Reasons Are Set Forth
The reasons are as follows: That submarine merchantmen cannot be overhauled and visited and searched, as is possible in the case of surface craft, because of their ability to dive and escape.

That such ships, because of their submersibility are able to evade municipal law with special reference to customs, quarantine, etc.

That such ships can be transformed with ease from merchantmen into warships.

That in case of war between a great maritime state and a smaller nation the latter would have the right to purchase submarine merchantmen, and when the ships arrived at the port of the purchaser they could be provided with guns and torpedoes and sail forth to attack the enemy ships.

That a refusal on the part of a state to sell submarine merchantmen could be regarded as an unneutral act.

Show Danger of Precedent
The allies are especially anxious for the United States to change its ruling in the case of the Deutschland because of their expectation that the central powers will launch a large number of these craft and utilize them for the purpose of obtaining supplies of raw materials which they need in order to continue the war. They point out, moreover, that it is of prime import for the United States not to set a precedent which may cause serious concern in the future.

Should This Government Blockade Mexico, that country could buy submarine merchantmen in England, and the latter would be forced to sell them or be placed in the position of supporting the United States. The submarines would have as little difficulty in attaching Mexico as the Deutschland had in coming to Baltimore. Once in a Mexican port, the removal of a few plates and the insertion of torpedo tubes would fit them for attacks upon battleships and other vessels engaged in blockading operations. The same situation would prevail should Germany or any other nation become the enemy of the United States.

Formal Protest Threatened
It is understood that the views presented by the British and French ambassadors are identical with those held by Russia, Italy and Japan.

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Popular Actress Dies Of Too Much Dancing



JOSEPHINE COHAN

Josephine Cohan, sister of George M. Cohan, and as one of the "Four Cohans" an actress as popular as any the stage has seen in her time, died suddenly in New York. She was stricken with heart disease, which had been brought on by her strenuous stage dancing for many years. She had recently returned from Australia where she made a long tour with her husband, Fred Niblo.

GRAND DUKE MAKES FURTHER PROGRESS IN THE CAUCASUS

PETROGRAD, July 20.—Russian troops have occupied the village of Kugli, it was officially announced today, repulsing all enemy efforts to advance in the Ougli Arsonovitch region.

The town of Kugli lies sixty miles southwest of Erzurum. Its capture marks further progress by the right wing of the grand duke's army pressing back the Turks in the Caucasus.

CITY NEWS TICKER

Marshall New Instructor
Harry Marshall was Wednesday appointed playground instructor of the West Avenue playground by Superintendent Gustave Heineman. Marshall began his duties Thursday afternoon. He succeeds George Jackson, resigned.

Spark Starts Fire
Sparks from the gas retort Thursday morning started a small fire in the roof of the gas plant at Third and the La Crosse river. Central station company responded, extinguishing the blaze with chemicals. The damage was small.

Brink Goes West
P. M. Brink, 718 King street, left Wednesday afternoon for an extended trip through Yellowstone park. He will stop for a visit with friends at Fargo, and will probably be away from the city for a fortnight.

RUSSIA TO CONSIDER POLAND AID APPEAL

WASHINGTON, July 20.—Ambassador Francis, at Petrograd, has cabled the state department that he had a conference with Premier Sazonoff July 14 and that the latter promised to consider this government's appeal for a Polish relief agreement promptly.

This is the first of five countries appealed to which has been heard from. Replies from the other four are expected momentarily.

ONE KILLED IN RIOT

MEMPHIS, Tenn., July 20.—J. C. Benson, former street car company employe, is dead from a knife wound and two others are in a critical condition from gunshot wounds as the result of a riot shortly after midnight Thursday.

The police say the riot arose over labor troubles. A strike of street railway employes is anticipated within 48 hours.

His Profession
"Will thinks baby will make a great politician."
"Why?"
"Well, he crawls out of everything so easily."

THE HASKIN LETTER

THE OWLS IN COURT
By Frederic J. Haskin

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 20.—In one of the towers of the old building of the Smithsonian Institute here dwells a pair of ordinary barn owls, which are undoubtedly the two most important owls in the United States. They—and their ancestors—have represented the whole tribe of owls at the capital of the United States, and have established the fact that they are not outlaws but deserve the protection of their government.

Every day Dr. A. K. Fisher of the biological survey, the government's leading authority on owls, ascends into the dark tower and examines the daily report of these ambassadorial birds. Said report is in the form of little balls of feathers, fur and bones, which are disgorged by the birds after they have eaten all the digestible portions of their prey. This indelicate way of feeding has been the salvation of the owls. Formerly all hawks and owls were supposed to be destructive to poultry and game and songbirds, and were accordingly killed on sight. For a quarter of a century the scientists of the Biological survey have been working hard to prove that most species of raptorial birds are really worth money to man because of the warfare they wage upon rats, mice, gophers and other destructive rodents. The steady patrol of the Hawks by day and the owls by night is all that presents these rats and mice of field and orchard from literally eating man off the face of the earth.

Now in order to establish the innocence of most of these birds it has been necessary to go out and kill thousands of them, so that the contents of their stomachs should be examined. Not so the barn owls, however. They were ready to meet any peace overtures half way. About the year 1868, so far as the records show, the first pair of barn owls set up housekeeping in this same tower of the Smithsonian building. Prof. Spencer F. Baird, a well known scientist who was then secretary of the institute, noted their presence and mentioned them in a report. These owls in time perished of old age, but some of their descendants remained to occupy the old family homestead in the tower, and to range the parks and grounds of the capital and the marshes across the river for their prey. At times there have been as many as three pairs of owls meeting in the tower; and it has never been vacant for nearly half a century.

About 1890 Prof. Fisher of the biological survey first became interested in the Smithsonian owls. When the building was repaired, he saw to it that a pane of glass was left out of the tower window, so that the owls would not be locked out of their house. About that time, too, he began his study of their diet, and has continued it ever since—just about a quarter of a century. It is safe to say that this is the most extended study of the diet of any bird that has ever been made.

Needless to say, this long study has conclusively proved that the barn owl, or monkey-faced owl, is a bird of the highest character, and deserving of man's protection and friendship. For one thing, it is always frankly sought both. This is the same species of owl that is common in England, and is mentioned in Gray's Elegy. It has always by preference made its home on barns and other buildings, and has spent its life rearing its young in the eaves of its places of vermin.

Dr. Fisher's investigations show that the Smithsonian owls dine on injurious rodents to the extent of exactly 96.1 per cent of their total bill of fare, and that only 3.1 per cent of their food is made up of birds. Most of these birds are English sparrows, of which the capital city has an oversupply at all times. The owls have been guilty of the murder of one young rabbit, and occasionally of lambs, such as redwing blackbirds. By far the greater part of the prey consists of the loathsome house rat, the most dangerous and destructive of vermin. These creatures are all too abundant about many of the government buildings, and especially about the zoological park, where they are attracted by the food for the animals. The owls are their worst enemies, as cats are rather scarce in the vicinity.

In this matter of owls and hawks, the government scientists want it brought to the attention of all country dwellers that there are just three species in the eastern United States which must be destroyed—the cooper hawk, the sharpshinned hawk and the great horned owl. Learn to identify these three species and you have your bird enemies spotted. There are two other species that are destructive but too rare to be of much consequence. These are the duck hawk and the goshawk. All of the other hawks and owls are necessary for the protection of crops. Without them the balance of nature would be seriously disturbed and the gophers that plough your lawn into long ridges the field mice that build nests in the corn shocks the rats that infest your barn and kill your young chickens and all the rest of the tribe of four-footed vermin would fairly overrun the earth—even as the insects are overrunning it now as a result of the destruction of other birds.

Washington is one city where all birds find a welcome. It is a city of naturalists for in addition to those in the government service, there are a number of others that make their homes here. Numerous biologists and ornithologists organizations regularly meet here. There is probably not another city in the United States where birds are the object of so much interest and solicitude. One devoted ornithologist identified 294 species in the District of Columbia, and about one-third of the number nest here. Chevy Chase, Maryland, a suburb of the capital situated right on the district



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Girls of Fifteen Save Men From Drowning



DOROTHY BECKER — ALICE MILLER

Dorothy Becker and Alice Miller, both aged fifteen, of Elizabeth, N. J., saved two young men from drowning after a heroic struggle during which Miss Becker was dragged beneath the water by the victims. She

swam to them in Newark Bay when she saw they were exhausted, and they held to her. She fought them off, but was being slowly overcome when Miss Miller went to her aid. The two dragged the men ashore and revived them.

line, is rated by the biological survey as having a larger bird population for its area than any other town in the United States. This is largely due to the efforts of a few persons who have put up nesting houses, fed the birds in winter, and afforded them what protection they were able.

A certain Washington editor living in Tenleytown, another suburb of the capital, has also had remarkable success in attracting birds. His collection of martens, house wrens, and other interesting species was so unusual that not long ago a motion picture company made a long film of his aviary and its daily life.

The Washington birds do not confine themselves to the suburbs by any means, however. A remarkable number of different species are to be seen in the parks, including cardinals, tanagers, various thrushes and other rare species. The robins and the big purple grackles, or blackbirds, are the commonest and most numerous.

Throughout the summer the grackles may be seen everywhere on the capital grounds and in the parks strolling about with a dignity which suggests that they are successfully imitating, coming within a few feet of the passerby to stare at him with heads cocked inquiringly to one side. These birds, together with the squirrels, give a delightful touch of life and movement to the wide lawns and grounds of the capital city. They are one of the most effective arguments for bird protection.

SELL SICK TROTTER

CLEVELAND, Ohio, July 20.—Peter McCormick, 2:05 1/2, handsome son of McCormick, Great, and rated as one of the best trotters alive, will be sold at auction today at North Randall. The horse is to be sold by his owner, V. L. Shuler, because of ill health.

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SOCIETY

AT THE COUNTRY CLUB

There were fifty-seven Wednesday at the Country club. Among the hostesses were Mrs. A. A. Maurer, who entertained a party of eighteen young girls in honor of Miss Margaret Fischer of Chicago; Mrs. D. Cunningham, who had a table of six; Mrs. H. L. Colman, a party of more than twenty.

Tuesday evening Mrs. L. F. Easton entertained at dinner. Her guests were Mr. and Mrs. S. W. King, Mr. and Mrs. Walton Losey, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Lees and Mrs. E. J. Williams of New York.

SOCIAL BRIEFS

Mrs. Mary West, mother of Mrs. H. J. Hirschheimer, left Thursday morning for Chicago, where she will stay a few days with her son, then going to Napoleon, Ohio, to visit her daughter, Mrs. Losey.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Chandler and baby son, William, of Minneapolis, arrived Thursday noon from St. Paul on the Morning Star, and are guests at the home of Mrs. D. Cunningham.

Mrs. S. W. McCauley, nee Miss Elizabeth Livingston, of Chicago, is in the city visiting with friends.

J. W. Curtis of Madison is visiting at the home of his son.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Story, Dubuque, are spending their honeymoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Dubraks, 1511 Avon street.

Miss Margaret Weston and Miss Doris Keegan of Chicago left Wednesday morning for Lake Pepin, where they are spending a few days.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Werner, 920 Denton street, a ten pound baby boy.

Woman Head of Agricultural Library

The head of the greatest agricultural library in the world is a woman, Miss Claribel R. Barnett, librarian in charge of the department of agriculture library at Washington.

The collection comprises over 135,000 books and pamphlets, with an increase of about 9,000 annually, and 2,300 current periodicals from every civilized country, dealing with agricultural subjects.

National Council of Women Voters Hold Convention

The fourth national convention of the National Council of Women Voters will meet in Cheyenne, Wyo., July 26-29. The Council of Women Voters was organized by Mrs. Emma Smith De Voe of Tacoma shortly after Washington came into its suffrage. Senator James H. Brady, then governor of Idaho, issued a call to the governors of the other suffrage states, four in number at that time, asking them to appoint a delegate.

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who should assist in uniting the women of the enfranchised states for the purpose of aiding the women in other states to secure the ballot. The convention this year will be attended by representative women voters from twelve states. The council also announces the establishment of an official paper, the vanguard, of which the first issue appears this month.

Woman on Expedition To New Mexico

Dr. Lucy Langdon Williams Wilson, principal of the Southern High School for Girls of Philadelphia, has just started on an expedition, which is her second, into the wilds of New Mexico, where she succeeded last summer in excavating a carload of valuable ethnological material concerning the ancient Pueblo Indians, who inhabited the region before the time of the Spanish conquerors. Mrs. Wilson is now in the southwest making up a party of Indians to journey with her into the Mesa lands, to continue the work of excavation where she left off last year.

13-Year-Old Boy in British Trenches

LONDON, July 20.—There is a quiet, modest boy in a London suburb, the only support of his widowed mother, who has had his baptism of fire at an age when most boys are still at school. James Charles Bartaby was only thirteen years old when he succeeded, after many attempts, in joining the Seventh East Surrey.

Three months later he was in the front line of trenches, fighting side by side with men most of whom had double and even treble his age. He was in the firing line for nine strenuous, perilous months; and then he was wounded by shrapnel in the leg. In the hospital the army doctor discovered his real age, and on recovery he was discharged. But on his return to London he found difficulty in getting work. So he attempted to join the fighting forces again, and managed to get accepted in a battalion of his old regiment. But after his second course of army training, and while he was actually again enroute for France, he was, to use his own words, "found out," and sent home for the second time.

OFFICERS ASSIGNED

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, July 20.—The following assignments by the war department were announced Thursday.

Brigadier General C. G. Morton, Seventh infantry brigade, to Douglas, Ariz.

Brigadier General G. A. Dodd, Second cavalry brigade, to Mexico.

Brigadier General Granger Adams, Fifth and Eighth field artillery, to El Paso.

Brigadier General E. H. Plummer, Fourth infantry brigade is unassigned.

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MATHEWSON MADE MANAGER OF REDS

CINCINNATI, Ohio, July 20.—A deal was closed at noon today by which Christy Mathewson will become manager of the Cincinnati baseball club. He will take charge today.

The only thing that can stop the deal going through is for Charley Herzog, present manager, to refuse to come to terms with the New York club, to which he goes.

The Reds get Bill McKechnie, third baseman, and Ed Rousch, outfielder, in addition to Mathewson.

Besides Herzog, Wade Kilfer goes to the Giants.

It was announced "no strings" are attached to the deal for Mathewson. Buck Herzog, deposed manager, signed a three-year contract to play with the New York Giants at an annual salary of \$10,000, the same amount he received from the Reds.

Some men even like to brag of how much they owe.

FARMER ARRESTED; CAR ATTACHED AT BRIDGE

Ole Westby, Houston, Minn., farmer, was arrested and his car attached by Constable Louis Omerberg last night as Westby was coming to La Crosse over the Mississippi wagon bridge. Westby recently ran into a street car at Fifth and Division streets and he failed to settle the damages. Claims of the street car company were settled without court action.

SAYS PROHIBITION HURTS THE CRAFTS

FOND DU LAC, Wis., July 20.—A plea to stem the tide of prohibition, not because it is opposed in principle, but because it is dealing a death blow to a number of crafts, was made before the state federation of labor convention in this city today by Joseph Proedstle, secretary of the International Brewery Workers' union of Cincinnati, Ohio. He said union men purchasing non-union labeled goods were putting weapons in the hands of the worst enemies of unionism.

Milwaukee Labor Troubles Spread

MILWAUKEE, Wis., July 20.—Labor trouble continued to develop with alarming rapidity in many of Milwaukee's foremost industries Thursday.

The machinists' strike spread to the Beaver Manufacturing company and the Geuder, Paeschke and Frey company today, about 300 men walking out at the two plants. This makes a total of 2,500 machinists now demanding an eight-hour day.

Almost 2,000 unorganized workers from textile factories are now striking.

About 300 workers walked out at the Everwear Hosiery company today. Strikes are now on at the Phoenix Knitting works, where 500 are out; Hole Proof Hosiery company, 700 strikers, and 500 others in small shops.

MATCH AT GAS LEAK BAD NEW YORK, July 20.—B. Rapaport hunted for a gas leak with a match. He will be able to leave bed in a week or so.

HEADWAY MADE ON BOTH SOMME FRONTS LINE STRAIGHTENED

(Continued from Page 1.) Longueval and in Delville, has been recaptured by the British. General Haig reported this afternoon.

North of the Longueval-Bazentin line the British advanced their lines this morning, making substantial advance near Leipsig redoubt.

Prepare for New Attack? BY WILBUR S. FORREST (United Press Staff Correspondent.) WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN NORTHERN FRANCE, July 20.—Every foot of the new German positions behind the lines captured by the British north of the Somme is being carefully and slowly drenched with a destructive fire of British high explosives in preparation for a new attack.

Roar Continuous The roar of guns is continuous and resembles the heavy roll of thunder. The Germans give reply only occasionally. Either they are seriously outgunned, or are saving their ammunition.

British aircraft, without molestation, are directing the fire of the artillery. Since the beginning of the Anglo-French push German aircraft have been surprisingly absent. Allied flyers and balloon observers have been working in perfect security, obtaining most valuable information.

From a height a short distance in the rear, I obtained an excellent view of Fricourt, Contalmaison, Mametz village, Mametz wood, Bazentin-Le-Grand and other positions recently conquered by the British. Later our party traversed the valley of the Somme and entered the ruins of Fricourt, once a German stronghold, but stormed and captured by the British early in their great offensive.

Town Wiped Off Map Imagine a giant steam roller passing over any American town of two thousand inhabitants and you get an idea of Fricourt today. The little French town has been literally wiped out of the map. German dugouts and shell holes represent the spike-holes of a huge steam-roller. The rest of the town is flattened in debris. Here and there from the hole of a battered in German dugout comes a sickening stench that tells of piles of corpses.

The scene at Fricourt is typical of that in any of the other villages blotted out by high explosives. High British officers say that the purpose of the British offensive is not speed, but to recover by slow, steady pushes every yard of invaded French and Belgium territory at a minimum expenditure of human blood and by a heavy expenditure of powerful explosives, of which there is an ample supply. Fighting must go on below as well as above ground. The Germans have catacombed all villages to escape shell fire. At Bazentin-Le-Grand, for instance, the underground caverns sheltered 150,000 men.

The entire Anglo-German front on the Somme offensive are, as far as the eye can see, literally swarmed with men and material.

TEXAS CAMP NOT HELL BUT FINE HEALTH RESORT

(Continued from Page 1.) resort, an ideal climate, although a little warm at this time of the year, and annoyed by only a few million biting red ants and several brigades of tarantulas and other things that really have no ill feeling toward soldiers and only ask that they be left alone to sleep in peace in the soldiers' cots.

By using kerosene oil and a few other things, the boys are rapidly eliminating the red ants and so far as the tarantulas are concerned, they have found the men from the north so un hospitable that they have all just about decided to while away their hours in the vicinity of the prairie farthest from the soldiers.

There have been a few spider bites around camp, but none was serious. Even in case of a serious bite, there would be little danger as the men would immediately receive treatment from physicians who have made a study of the subject.

First Sergeant Ray Howland and Company Clerk Benjamin Sowski of Company B, Third regiment, had a thirty-five minute wrestling match in camp on Monday. They both swore that they won, so the boys of the company decided to call it a draw.

Harry Raper of the same company has proved himself a heart breaker. On the way down he delayed the train by flirting. When the train would stop some pretty girl would gaze upon Harry and immediately lose her heart. Of course, he would have to linger by her side and whisper a few words of consolation and upon these occasions, they had to beg him to hurry as the train had to move some time. That is the story his first sergeant tells about him.

Sergt. J. Sholes of Company B heard a lot about the vicious tarantulas of Texas. He slept on a shed the first night in camp, according to men who got up early in the morning.

A man from another company came around to B street and announced he could whip any man in camp. Gus Redmond of B company heard the last few words of the announcement and with the last word was out of his tent with a set of boxing gloves. They say Gus hit the visitor so hard the fall shook the earth. Gus weighs 190 pounds. The goat mascot of Company M, Third infantry, arrived safely in custody of Roy Hazen Private A. H. Orton gave the goat a box of tobacco and was then compelled to beat a retreat which terminated in a disorganized rout.

Corp. Otto Olson's life is an unhappy one. He spent two days' pay on things with which to "doll up" and the boys of the company have been bringing up the subject ever since.

LACK OF CARE FOR SOLDIER GREATEST FAULT IN U. S. ARMY

(Continued from Page 1.) of his little home at 1452 Emma street, North Chicago, within a couple of days, give his wife a hug, and say, "Well, I'm home." He's got a check from Uncle Sam for \$57.72 and if he's careful after paying his fare he ought to have about \$20 to hand over to Mrs. Shepkowski. He was born in Poland but has served in the militia six years and his term of enlistment expired today, his militia career winding up with a blazing two weeks' holiday here in Texas.

Wife Helped Him "It wasn't so bad with me," said Shepkowski, "because my wife was a dressmaker and I could quit my glove cutter's job and go to the front without her starving, but there are lots of fellows whose wives aren't work and they're worried stiff."

There were thousands of tragedies as grim as many in Europe in American homes three weeks ago which are just coming to light here on the border. General Funston and his staff officers are hearing them. Shepkowski put his finger on the greatest present fault with the American army plan.

"Can a man be a good soldier and do good work if he's wondering whether his family at home has enough to eat?" I asked General Funston, after leaving the jitney and making my way to his hotel office.

Can't Worry and Work The general, whose perspiring head was leaving patches of dampness on the leather back of the huge chair in which he sat, leaned forward, saying earnestly, "Of course not. I permitted fourteen men to return home yesterday because their dependents were suffering and I have so many requests for relief on like grounds that it will prove necessary to release several thousands within the next few weeks."

Good Lesson These men are given three and a half cents mileage homeward. Money which has been spent in bringing them to the border, feeding them and outfitting them, and then after two weeks sending them back home, isn't wasted. It is our payment for the lesson that in our new army plan we must provide well for the care of soldiers' families if we are going to insist on taking men away from their families into the army.

"What about my family?" is the biggest question in all militia camps along the border.

Recruits to Fill Faps WASHINGTON, July 20.—Militia men released on the border because they have dependents at home will be supplanted by recruits now being obtained by militia officers kept at home for that purpose.

This, the war department said today, will take care of the situation created by the necessity to release thousands, as old by General Funston in an interview with William G. Shepherd today at San Antonio.

FLORIDA FARMER SAVES PARTY FROM FINANCIAL STRESS

(Continued from Page 1.) the largest ever made for a prohibition campaign. His pledge started the ball rolling and funds rolled in after that.

May Make Chafin Compromise That Eugene W. Chafin may be proposed as a compromise candidate to the Hanly and Sulzer factions was hinted at about convention headquarters yesterday. A deadlock apparently exists between the New Yorker and Hoosier.

Factions Plan Steam Roller The old fashioned camp meeting style of a convention was to see some "steam rolling" today. The faction backing Hanly for president had control and planned to nominate him, adopt a platform and adjourn tonight, one day in advance of scheduled time. To check the steam roller, William Sulzer, former governor of New York, the other candidate for president, was expected here today to attempt a stampede for himself.

The convention's platform committee early today had fairly well worked out its principal planks.

The Susan B. Anthony day for workingmen, several other "social justice" planks, a program of preparedness for peace only, government ownership of armor plants, and support of various farmers' movements were the principal clauses decided on.

Sulzer arrived in an eleventh hour attempt to prevent the nomination of Hanly.

Leads in Prayer As the convention met today, Rufus Payne of North Carolina, a Quaker, carried out the camp meeting impression by dropping to his knees and calling on all of the delegates to join him in prayer. They did. It was an old fashioned fervent plea.

Then Hanly boosters added a bit of color to the scene by marching around the hall singing they were "One hundred happy howling Hoosiers for Hanly."

Prior to Sulzer's arrival, Hanly's nomination seemed assured. Sulzer, seeking the nomination, largely upon an anti-Catholic plank, was expected to attempt a stampede of the convention later in the day. Meanwhile, Sulzer forces in the platform committee sought to inject an anti-Catholic plank into the platform.

TO PROBE EASTERN CAMPAIGNS

LONDON, July 20.—An official investigation of the Dardanelles and Mesopotamian campaigns has been decided upon by the British government Premier Asquith informed the house of commons this afternoon.

SMITH LEAVES JAPAN

TOKIO, July 20.—Art Smith, the American aviator, sailed today on the liner Empress of Russia for Vancouver, which he will reach July 29 or 30.

ANTI-CATHOLIC PLANK ADOPTED BY THE PROHIBS

(Continued from Page 1.) planks and labor planks of previous campaigns are included. The Mexican plank, which also reaffirms the Monroe doctrine, says: "Mexico needs not a conqueror but a Good Samaritan."

It is opposed to war of aggression against Mexico, but favors use of our force in event of a breakdown of the Mexican government. Protection for Americans is demanded.

Trade treaties, adequate merchant marine, old age pensions and improvement of civil service are advocated. The Americanism plank takes a snap at the hyphenates, stating that "one who loves other lands more than this is not fit for citizenship here."

The labor plank approves the eight-hour day, and "just division of wealth." This plank was inserted at request of socialists. Public control of all utilities also was demanded. Pork barrel politics were rapped. Public grain elevators, federal grain inspection, and abolition of boards of trade for speculation were advocated.

For the first time in its session, the resolutions' committee barred its doors and staged the wrangle in secret.

Backed by the faction which is supporting William E. Sulzer as prohibition presidential candidate, the anti-Catholics declared that the religious issue is greater than the prohibition issue.

The American Patriotic societies, which is composed of the A. P. A. and Knights of Luther and similar organizations, were well represented.

L. L. Pickett, Kentucky, one of the anti-Catholic leaders, insisted upon the plank adoption. Conservatives opposed him on the ground that the plank would antagonize the Catholic dry vote.

The sub-committee on platforms is said to have left the plank out of its draft and the fight began when the sub-committee reported to the full committee. The committee fight was expected to continue for several hours.

Composing the sub-committee are W. G. Calderwood, Minnesota; Eugene W. Chafin, Arizona; Daniel C. Poling, Massachusetts; J. H. Wortendyke, California, and Oliver W. Stewart, Chicago.

The platform draft is said to include a demand for withdrawal of troops from Mexico.

Bids For Moose Support

The platform is a frank bid for progressive support. Its concluding clause invited all progressives to unite upon the principles as outlined.

FISHING AND BASEBALL WHET APPETITES OF CITY AND COUNTY DADS

(Continued from Page 1.) the forenoon with a beautiful bass and a still lovelier sheephead and he launched forth on the quest again after lunch.

Mud was all that prevented Billy Fries, city comptroller, and Alderman Bill Torrance from setting a world's record for their age and weight in the century dash. Both were out for glory and they started out well. They ended up in a glorious puddle when their legs became hopelessly entangled in a bit of tall grass. They were assisted to the river for a general cleanup.

Louis Omerberg's fatties won a hard fought game of indoor ball from George Berger's skinnies. Omerberg hammered out a home run and Mayor Bentley would have done the same thing had his legs not got mixed up with those of W. F. Adams, lanky infilder of the skinnies.

Walter Winter narrowly escaped death at the close of the game after umpiring the mix. His long legs proved his salvation and he survived to tell the tale.

Postmaster O. R. Skaar, C. A. Krebaum and Banker Richards of Bangor, arrived at camp shortly after noon.

THOMPSON CHOSEN HEAD OF STATE PILOTING BOARD

(Continued from Page 1.) stump are Walter L. Houser, Mondovi; Attorney General Walter C. Owen, Madison; Merlin Hull, Black River Falls; E. N. Warner, Madison; Phil Lehner, Princeton; George M. Sheldon, Tomahawk; J. Q. Emery, Edgerton; State Senator Otto Bosshard, La Crosse; Charles Ingram, Durand; M. B. Olbrich, Madison, and others.

Attorney General Owen, who is a candidate for re-election, will open his campaign in Black River Falls on Saturday.

Senator Hutton, candidate for governor, is now speaking in the western part of the state, and the committee will keep him busy from now until the close of the primary campaign.

CARD OF THANKS.

We, the undersigned, wish to sincerely thank our many friends and neighbors for the sympathy shown at the burial of our aunt and grandmother, Mrs. Mary A. Hegenbarth. Especially do we wish to thank Rev. Kern for his impressive service, members of the Frohning Singing society and for the many beautiful floral offerings.

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SENDS CONSCIENCE MONEY

NEW YORK, July 20.—An anonymous writer sent \$300 to Martin Sweeney, a long termer in Sing Sing, as "conscience money." Sweeney can't figure out who owns such a remarkable conscience.

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Big Rattler Is Killed By Park Driver On Bluff

A five-foot rattlesnake, with twelve rattles, was clubbed to death on Granddall Bluff Wednesday afternoon by Joseph Czechowitz, a teamster employed by the city park department.

Czechowitz had a short battle with the snake. He came upon it writhing across the bluff road on the north shoulder of Granddall, and opened the attack by throwing a rock at the reptile. The stone missed its mark, and the snake turned upon the teamster.

Szechowitz, catching up a heavy club from the roadside, swung at the snake and broke its back just as it launched its fangs at his leg.

VILLA IS AGAIN REPORTED FOUND

MEXICO CITY, July 20.—Reports today from Chihuahua state, say Villa has once again been definitely located and that constitutionalist forces have every expectation of capturing him.

A messenger sent by the bandit leader to seek medical aid was captured by constitutionalist cavalry and killed. The Carranzista commander reported today he expected to engage the main body of the Villistas at an early date.

JESS ESTABLISHES CIRCUS PRECEDENT

Jess Willard, "Heavyweight Champion of the World," who will appear here at all performances of the Sells-Floto Circus, has established a precedent in traveling with a circus.

At the present time there is not a single heavyweight in the country who has a chance to come up to Willard's standard. The champion will, at every performance of the Sells-Floto Circus, box a few rounds with his sparring partner, Monahan, and will show the spectators just what happened in the twenty-sixth round, when he won the championship. He will also illustrate the punches given when he defended the title at Madison Square Garden on March 26 last.

Monahan weighs but little less than Johnson, and is but a fraction of an inch smaller. His build will make the exhibition seem more realistic, as the people can see how Johnson and Willard compare in stature.

At the performances Willard will first make his appearance in his old role of cowboy at the head of the Buffalo Bill Wild West Cowboys. Later he will give his boxing exhibition.

PROMINENT FARMER IS TRAILED BY HOUND ON SCENT OF SAFEROBBER

BLACK RIVER FALLS, Wis., July 20.—(Special.)—That Black River Falls is due for a scandal is believed here, following tracking of a prominent farmer by a bloodhound brought here to hunt a burglar who Tuesday night entered the safe of the P. L. Rice company, securing \$50 in cash. Authorities refuse to divulge the name of the suspect, who is a pillar of the community. Several mysterious robberies occurred here within the last year.

CASTLE IN WEST INDIES SAYS WIFE: SCHEDULE FILED

(Continued from Page 1.) schedule of liabilities and assets filed on Wednesday. The total of the engineering company's debts, according to the statement, is \$51,024.06. Liabilities amount to only \$6,500.

Both figures are incomplete, however. Mr. Gordon said today, and are subject to amendment. Certain sums of money that may amount to \$5,000, the lawyer indicated, have been paid to preferred creditors, but this may be returned and added to the assets of the firm.

Baltimore Concern Hard Hit The largest single creditor is the Commercial Credit company of Baltimore, Md. Their bill against Castle is \$32,300.92. The figures, Mr. Gordon said, represent transactions covering a period of two years, during which Castle was selling notes to the Baltimore concern. By what means Castle induced the company to give him such extensive credit Mr. Gordon did not try to explain, except to say that there had been several notes from Castle's customers. Some of these had been paid, he said—adding that the money was the addition to the assets mentioned above.

The assets listed—\$6,500—comprise the estimated value of stock and tools on hand.

The largest creditors, besides the Baltimore concern, listed in the schedule are the Security bank, which has a bill of \$5,000, and the firm of Gordon, Law and Gordon, whose claim is \$3,500.

USE OF FLAG AS COLLECTOR DRAWS IRE FROM "BOB"

(Continued from Page 1.) ing their battleships, killing their men by millions. By their own acts they are making it impossible for theirs to menace us again. The people are going to know whether these increased appropriations are for their defense or to set America on a new scheme of militarism—to collect individual debts owed American bondholders and concessionaires to pile up munition profits. The people will know! Beware the lies of November!"

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THREE DUAL MEETS AND INTER-STATE TOURNEY ARRANGED

Three dual tennis tournaments are in prospect in successive weeks for members of the La Crosse Tennis club, with a big inter-state three-day meet for Labor Day to wind up the season's activities, according to an announcement Wednesday by C. E. Pieper, leader of the local net artists. The first of the tournaments comes a week from Saturday, when a La Crosse sextet will travel to Prairie du Chien.

Perry Stetteland and Pieper are the only two representatives of the La Crosse club who are sure of berths on the team. The other four will be picked next week.

On the Saturday following the Prairie tournament, the Winona players, who met La Crosse at Winona, will come here for a return match, and a week later the Sanitarium City cranks will come to this city for their revenge.

More than 100 well known tennis experts from Wisconsin, Iowa and Minnesota are expected to enter for the big tournament which will close

the contest season in September. The meet will start on the Saturday before Labor Day, and will continue through the holiday. An exceptionally fine list of prizes and trophies will be offered by the local club.

WEEGHMAN STILL HAS HOPES OF SECURING HERZOG FOR BRUINS

CHICAGO, July 20.—Owner Charles H. Weeghman of the Cubs was still optimistic today regarding his chances of landing Buck Herzog, pilot and shortstop for the Cincinnati Reds. Weeghman's offer to Garry Herrmann for Herzog is composed of Outfielder Flack and \$25,000 in cash and a guaranteed salary to Herzog of \$10,000, according to reports. Herzog will be stationed at third if the Cubs get him.

WOMEN'S TOURNEY ON AT KENOSHA

KENOSHA, Wis., July 20.—Playing in the old time form which made her the champion of Wisconsin golfers, Edwin R. Whitcomb of the Milwaukee Country club lead in the qualifying round of the state's championship match at the eighth annual tournament of the Wisconsin Women's Golf association which opened on the links of the Kenosha Country club Wednesday. It was the largest and classiest field of women golfers ever facing an initial tee in a Wisconsin tournament and the entry list totaled sixty representing some ten clubs in the state.

Score of 87. Mrs. Whitcomb negotiated the eighteen hole qualifying round with a total of 87, and she was just three strokes less than Miss Frances Hadfield of Blue Mound.

McDERMOTT SETS RECORD

PIT IN BAY, Ohio, July 20.—Michael McDermott of the Illinois Athletic club, Chicago, yesterday afternoon established a new world's record in the 200 yard great stroke swim, making the event in two minutes, 45 1/2 seconds. This clipped 4 1/2 seconds from the record, which was previously set by McDermott.

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SPORTS

PRINCESS ITALIA LOWERS HER MARK IN THE 2:24 TROT

St. Paul Mare Steps Distance in 2:23 3/4; Wynne All of Decorah Was Close on Her Heels

WAS LA CROSSE DAY

Stores Closed and Race Lovers Turned Out in Force; Chippewa Falls Horse Prostrated

Princess Italia, black mare owned by C. A. Niles, St. Paul, is no more eligible to race in a 2:24 trotting event. The mare yesterday went the mile in 2:23 3/4 in the third and deciding heat of the 2:24 trot, the first event of the final day of the midsummer meet of the La Crosse Trotting association. Her driver allowed her to lower her mark, for if she had not overstepped the mark, Wynne All, Decorah, Iowa, horse, would have. He passed the barrier on the heels of the winner.

It was La Crosse day. With stores closed throughout the city, the racing element turned out in force to see the cream of northwest horseflesh work. The attendance was gratifying, the grandstand being filled nearly to capacity. The track was lined with followers of the sport.

Not a La Crosse entry was in the three events yesterday. Several were entered but failed to appear.

Horse Prostrated

The heat nearly proved fatal to one horse, King Woodland, owned by T. L. Murphy of Chippewa Falls. The horse had a burning fever and his entry was out of the question.

Black Boreal, Red Wing horse, proved a veritable little wonder in the 2:17 trot. Finishing second in the first heat, he won the next three and the race. His best time was 2:17 1/4, which, considering the weather and difficulty experienced in starts, was remarkable. Sid McKerron, Waverly, Iowa, gelding, came in a wide second.

Dalos M, owned by T. L. Murphy, Chippewa Falls, staged as pretty a comeback as ever seen on a local track. He came in fifth in the first heat of the 2:17 pace. When he copied the second heat he was applauded roundly, but when he came in in the lead in the third round he was without doubt the favorite of the event. The fourth heat and the race went to him, best time being 2:18 1/4, Dick S., winning the first heat, finished with second money and Cecil Bond, a Ourand steed, was awarded third money.

That the midsummer meet has established itself as a permanent institution in La Crosse is the opinion of prominent members of the trotting association. The first meet, it is held, has been unusually successful.

President Jr., Out

President Jr., black stallion driven by W. N. Millard, La Crosse, was not started in 2:17 trot. The horse is an offspring of President, which several years ago under the ownership of Dick Wilson and Punch Robertson, went a mile in 2:09 1/4 at Cleveland.

Wednesday's results:

1. Princess Italia 1
2. Wynne All 2
3. Attorney General 3
4. Iva Thorne 4
5. Hearty Bingen 5

2:17 Pace

1. Dalos M 1
2. Cecil Bond 2
3. Black Boreal 3
4. Hathawa 4
5. Ludwig C. Trixie Chimes, Besa Hall and Byron Lockheart also finished.

2:17 Trot

1. Black Boreal 1
2. Sid McKerron 2
3. Tarquina 3
4. Hamline J 4
5. Cory Kilver, Alice Marmore, Jaunt-fast and Banker also finished.

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WOULD ABOLISH FOREVER THE TEACHING OF FRENCH AND ENGLISH IN GERMANY

AMSTERDAM, July 20.—The suggestion that German educational institutions abolish forever the teaching of French and English in their school work has been endorsed by the leading Berlin newspapers, according to information here today.

The suggestion came from a pamphlet written by Adolph Reinecke, a German author.

PIRATES GRAB TWO FROM THE DODGERS GIANTS BEAT CUBS

PITTSBURGH, Pa., July 20.—Pittsburgh won a double header from Brooklyn here Wednesday, the final game going fourteen innings. The score in the first game was 1 to 0, and the second 2 to 1. The only run made in the opening game came in the first inning when Carey bunted safely, stole second, and went to third on O'Mara's error, scored on Hinchman's sacrifice fly.

A base on balls to Schmidt and Carey's triple gave the Pirates a run in the sixth inning of the final contest. Brooklyn tied the score in the ninth on J. Johnson's single. O'Mara's sacrifice and Wheat's single.

The local team won out in the fourteenth when Hinchman, after being safe on Getz' error, went to second on Farmer's out at first and scored on a single by Schultz, who batted for W. Johnson. Score:

First game— R H E
Brooklyn . . . 00000000—0 3 1
Pittsburgh . . . 10000000—1 4 2
Batteries: Pfeiffer and McCarty; Kantichner and Wilson.

Second game— R H E
Brooklyn . . . 0000000010000—1 10 1
Pittsburgh . . . 0000010000000—2 7 2
Batteries: Cheney, Dell, Smith and Miller; Miller and Schmidt.

Giants, 8; Cubs, 6

Score: R H E
New York . . . 313010000—8 11 2
Chicago . . . 101210010—6 12 3
Batteries: Benton, Anderson and Rariden; Lavender, Packard, Brown and Fischer.

Boston, 10; Cards, 1

Score: R H E
Boston . . . 510100201—10 13 0
St. Louis . . . 010000000—1 6 1
Batteries: Rudolph and Gowdy; Williams, Jasper and Gonzales.

LEONARD IN CONDITION FOR FIGHT WITH WELSH

NEW YORK, July 20.—Crafty Benny Leonard will be in first class fighting shape when the bell rings for his battle with Freddie Welsh next week, was the word passed out here today. When Welsh and Pollok set the date for the long sought battle only ten days away, it was rumored around that they had caught the pride of Harlem unprepared.

RECOVER AEROPLANE

WASHINGTON, July 20.—An aeroplane abandoned west of Dulles, July 4, has been recovered, General Pershing advised the war department yesterday. The aviators were compelled to land because of the failure to turn on the gasoline from the reserve tank before starting.

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CRIPPLED YANKEES TAKE DOUBLE BILL FROM THE BROWNS

NEW YORK, July 20.—Despite the loss of another player, Outfielder Hugh High, who wrenched an ankle in falling while coming in fast for a short fly in the second game, New York retained its lead by twice defeating St. Louis on Wednesday, 5 to 0 and 5 to 4. It was the sixth doubleheader New York has won on the home grounds this season.

In the first game, Donovan's new pitching find, Russell, shut out St. Louis with four hits, two being scratches, while the Yankees pounded Koob hard.

Manager Jones of St. Louis and Caldwell of New York were put off the field by Umpire Dineen in the second game. The score:

First game— R H E
St. Louis . . . 000000000—0 4 1
New York . . . 00203000x—5 10 0
Batteries—Koob, Fincher and Hartley; Russell and Nunamaker.

Second game— R H E
St. Louis . . . 010001200—4 9 2
New York . . . 01103000x—5 8 2
Batteries—Hamilton, Davenport and Severoid; Fisher, Mogridge, Shawkey and Nunamaker.

Box 6-2; Senators 3-6

First game— R H E
Chicago . . . 010200003—6 5 1
Washington . . . 010001010—3 6 3
Batteries—Wolfgang, Russell and Schaik; Ayers, Dumont, Johnson, Hendy and Ainsmith.

Second game— R H E
Chicago . . . 000001001—2 6 3
Washington . . . 31000011x—6 8 2
Batteries—Benz, Danforth and Lapp; Johnson and Ainsmith.

Boston 4-9; Tigers 2-5

First game— R H E
Detroit . . . 010001000—2 6 3
Boston . . . 01001000x—4 8 2
Batteries—Daus and McKee; Mays, Thomas and Agnew.

Second game— R H E
Detroit . . . 03000200—5 14 4
Boston . . . 11411100—9 11 1
Batteries—Cunningham, Boland and Baker; Shore, Leonard and Cady.

Indians 12; Macks 5

Cleveland . . . 105002022—12 12 1
Philadelphia . . . 120001001—5 9 4
Batteries—Bagby and Daly; Hasselbacher and Carroll.

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WOULD ABOLISH FOREVER THE TEACHING OF FRENCH AND ENGLISH IN GERMANY

AMSTERDAM, July 20.—The suggestion that German educational institutions abolish forever the teaching of French and English in their school work has been endorsed by the leading Berlin newspapers, according to information here today.

The suggestion came from a pamphlet written by Adolph Reinecke, a German author.

PIRATES GRAB TWO FROM THE DODGERS GIANTS BEAT CUBS

PITTSBURGH, Pa., July 20.—Pittsburgh won a double header from Brooklyn here Wednesday, the final game going fourteen innings. The score in the first game was 1 to 0, and the second 2 to 1. The only run made in the opening game came in the first inning when Carey bunted safely, stole second, and went to third on O'Mara's error, scored on Hinchman's sacrifice fly.

A base on balls to Schmidt and Carey's triple gave the Pirates a run in the sixth inning of the final contest. Brooklyn tied the score in the ninth on J. Johnson's single. O'Mara's sacrifice and Wheat's single.

The local team won out in the fourteenth when Hinchman, after being safe on Getz' error, went to second on Farmer's out at first and scored on a single by Schultz, who batted for W. Johnson. Score:

First game— R H E
Brooklyn . . . 00000000—0 3 1
Pittsburgh . . . 10000000—1 4 2
Batteries: Pfeiffer and McCarty; Kantichner and Wilson.

Second game— R H E
Brooklyn . . . 0000000010000—1 10 1
Pittsburgh . . . 0000010000000—2 7 2
Batteries: Cheney, Dell, Smith and Miller; Miller and Schmidt.

Giants, 8; Cubs, 6

Score: R H E
New York . . . 313010000—8 11 2
Chicago . . . 101210010—6 12 3
Batteries: Benton, Anderson and Rariden; Lavender, Packard, Brown and Fischer.

Boston, 10; Cards, 1

Score: R H E
Boston . . . 510100201—10 13 0
St. Louis . . . 010000000—1 6 1
Batteries: Rudolph and Gowdy; Williams, Jasper and Gonzales.

LEONARD IN CONDITION FOR FIGHT WITH WELSH

NEW YORK, July 20.—Crafty Benny Leonard will be in first class fighting shape when the bell rings for his battle with Freddie Welsh next week, was the word passed out here today. When Welsh and Pollok set the date for the long sought battle only ten days away, it was rumored around that they had caught the pride of Harlem unprepared.

RECOVER AEROPLANE

WASHINGTON, July 20.—An aeroplane abandoned west of Dulles, July 4, has been recovered, General Pershing advised the war department yesterday. The aviators were compelled to land because of the failure to turn on the gasoline from the reserve tank before starting.

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Cleveland	47	37	.558
Chicago	45	37	.549
Washington	44	39	.530
Detroit	44	42	.512
St. Louis	36	48	.429
Philadelphia	18	59	.234

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.
Brooklyn	50	32	.560
Boston	41	32	.562
Philadelphia	41	33	.554
New York	38	39	.494
Pittsburgh	37	40	.481
Chicago	39	44	.470
St. Louis	33	46	.419
Cincinnati	34	49	.408

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

	W	L	Pct.
Kansas City	52	37	.584
Louisville	48	38	.559
Indianapolis	47	39	.547
Minneapolis	45	42	.517
Toledo	42	40	.512
St. Paul	41	40	.506
Columbus	34	47	.420
Milwaukee	31	56	.359

GAMES TODAY

National League

New York at Chicago, rain.
Brooklyn at Pittsburgh, clear.
Boston at St. Louis, rain.
Philadelphia at Cincinnati, two games, clear.

American League

St. Louis at New York, threatening.
Chicago at Washington, cloudy, two games.
Detroit at Boston, clear.
Cleveland at Philadelphia, cloudy, two games.

American Association

Minneapolis at Columbus, clear.
St. Paul at Toledo, clear.
Milwaukee at Indianapolis, clear.
Kansas City at Louisville, clear.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Louisville 5; Milwaukee 3.
Columbus 7; St. Paul 5.
Minneapolis 3; Toledo 1.
Kansas City 9; Indianapolis 3.

HART AT THE MAJESTIC TODAY

William S. Hart inspires great Italian Sculptor. It was to be expected. The massive and powerful features of Wm. Hart possess an inspiration for a sculptor, and there could not fail to be, among the many artists of every kind who are to be found on the Pacific coast, one who would feel the inherent appeal of that remarkable face, and seek the privilege of reproducing its strength and virility in enduring marble.

The artist to whom this inspiration came is Christodoro, an Italian sculptor whose works are to be seen in many famous galleries on the other side of the ocean and who has also exhibited in New York with much resultant favorable comment.

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PETHEY DINK—Well, He Can make Some of Them Toe the Mark

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The TRIBUNE'S Daily Short Story

COUSIN GEORGE ARRIVES

BY LOUISE OLIVER

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Rosette answered the telephone because Daisy was still engaged in opening the morning mail, and she returned to the sunlit breakfast room bursting with news. However, when she saw the look of consternation upon her sister's face she exclaimed involuntarily, "What's the matter?"

"Matter!" exclaimed Daisy, holding up a letter in dismay. "Have you ever heard of a branch of our family which went West years ago? Father knows all about them, but whenever he started on the subject I didn't care to listen, and I don't suppose you did either. I don't consider rough-and-ready Western relatives any particular asset. Well,

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anyway, here's a letter from one of them—George Salisbury he signs himself—saying he is coming this week and would like to hunt up the cousins. He's coming here today!"

Rosette sprang up. "Today! Why on earth didn't he pick some other time? He'll completely ruin our garden party!"

"Of course he will," agreed Daisy. "That's the trouble. If father were home he could take him motoring or something, but, of course, he will arrive in the midst of all the festivities, sombrero, boots and all. Oh, dear, I can just see us introducing him to Mrs. Star Page—'Our cousin from the West, dear Mrs. Page.' I can see her lorgnon fairly quiver with indignation. Oh, what shall we do?"

"And Aunt Margaret just telephoned that she is bringing an Englishman along! And if her neuralgia gets too bad she'll see that he gets here anyway. She's so anxious for us to be nice to him and says she is not at all averse to having him in the family. As she puts it, an alliance with such a rich old English family as his would be most gratifying to her! I can see us introducing our country cousin to him!" The girls groaned in chorus.

"What is all the fuss about, girls?" asked a quiet voice in the doorway. A girl slightly older than the others stood there with her arms full of red roses. Her dark brown hair, deep gray eyes, and blue linen dress made a combination of color that might have stepped out of a frame.

"Hello, Elsa!" in dust. "Come in, early bird, and we'll tell you. Trouble enough indeed. And they're all related as coherently as they could all that had happened. Elsa laughed. "Your poor children! I suppose I ought to sympathize, but I can't. It—it's too funny! How things do turn out! To think that the very day you have your smart little garden party cooked up and asked all the big toads in the whole resort to come, and play in your little puddle, a great big cowbody has to come stamping

around and spoil all the fun."

The girls looked their disgust. "How can you laugh?" indignantly. "It isn't like you, Elsa! You've come to the rescue before and helped along some way. In fact, we rather counted on you this time."

Elsa wiped her eyes and her face sobered. "Because, girls, I think you deserve a little punishment for your very snobbish ideas. I heard what you said about the English alliance and it sounds too cold-blooded for kiddies your age. Aunt Margaret ought to be ashamed!"

The girls looked guilty. They adored this cousin who lived with them, and a word of chiding from her was not to be taken lightly.

"Because," she went on, "I can't see that the joke is on anybody but me. When this Salisbury man comes, I'll have to take care of him—that's all. I will stay close to the end of the pergola, where I can see the drive

Careless Use of Soap Spoils the Hair

Soap should be used very carefully. If you want to keep your hair looking its best. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and ruins it.

The best thing for steady use is just ordinary mulstified coconut oil (which is pure and greaseless), and is better than the most expensive soap or anything else you can use. One or two teaspoonfuls will cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which rinses out easily, removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves the scalp soft, and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy and easy to manage.

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and all new-comers. If he is completely hopeless, I'll run away with him at once. If his appearance is passable, I'll trot him along to you to say how-dy, let him shake hands with one or two of the men, and then show him the roses and Italian garden before any one discovers that his verbs and participles have been neglected. Just trust me—that's all! And if he proves to be all right, I'll give him free rein and let him run loose."

"You're a dear, Elsa! What a relief! Just keep him away from the Englishman—that's all we ask. The English are so particular about family, you know, and this would be an awful give-away."

"Trust me, girls. Now I must put away my roses!"

The garden party was in full swing. As Elsa had said, all the big toads of Summit Lake had been asked and all kinds of smart equipage lined the drive. A gaily-dressed crowd formed itself in groups around tea tables under striped canopies and low shade trees. Some were in the pergola, some wandering through the garden and others had found seats in the natural grove of elms that the landscape gardener had had the good sense to leave undisturbed. Here on a rustic bench were seated Elsa and Cousin George Salisbury.

Elsa had adopted the second plan on her list—that of presenting the Westerner to the girls in the pergola and a few of the guests, then running off with him. The outward appearance was reassuring, in fact perplexing. Certainly they had no need to be ashamed of the smart trap that had brought him or of his well-made white clothes. True, he was bronzed—but the weatherbeaten look only added distinction to a clear-cut striking face.

But, to be on the safe side about the verbs, Elsa had steered him naturally and quietly away from the crowd, and he fell in instantly with her plan.

As they seated themselves in the cool shade of the trees, the man looked up through the spreading elms and around at the soft, velvety

grass and then his gaze rested for an instant upon the quiet, pretty girl at his side, dressed simply in soft, exquisite white. He sighed ever so softly and half closed his eyes.

"This is—delicious, and—if you will pardon me—a pleasant surprise. I wasn't expecting anything so agreeable."

"I don't quite understand, Mr. Salisbury!"

"No wonder! It's inexcusable of me, but I am a little out of sorts today and things have a way of popping out that I don't intend to say at all. I mean that these trees are wonderful, they are like home—and you are wonderful—you are like home, too. There! Don't ask me to explain any further. I'll only get in deeper. I want to thank you for not trotting me around to all those tiresome people to be petted like a poodle on a chain."

"But why should I?"

"I don't know why you should, but it seems to be the thing. I have a feeling that I am on exhibition most of the time." Elsa smiled involuntarily, but her answer was irrelevant.

"You like our trees? They are wonderful aren't they? But I didn't know they had elms like these outside of New England. Where in the West do they grow?"

"Oh, I was not speaking of the West. When I say home I mean England. You see, my mother was a Western woman and my father married her there. They lived in Montana only two years, where I was born. Then my father took us to England. I've always lived there. I've spent the last year and a half in the army in Belgium and France, however. I'm only here for a short time on business. Being in this part of the country, I thought I'd hunt up my relatives. I wanted to see Aunt Margaret and these little girls. I'm sorry their mother and father are away. But there are compensations—I have met you!"

Elsa's usually clear white skin was burning. The Westerner and the wonderful Englishman were the same then! What a fine mix-up they had made of things!

"Do you want to talk to the girls now?" she asked suddenly. "They will be furious with me for keeping you all to myself!"

"I suppose I'd better," he agreed, "but not until you'll promise to give me some of your time tomorrow. We can motor, go boating, anything you like, but I must see you, earnestly. I leave on Friday."

"I'll be very glad to do anything

you wish," she answered, her heart giving a queer little flutter. And to add to the general excitement, when the girls heard the truth that evening they learned also from their aunt over the phone that he was not only a colonel in the army, but a real live earl besides.

"We've missed our chance!" they pouted ruefully. "What sillies we were!"

"But how about me?" asked Elsa, smiling happily.

"You darling!" they cried as they threw their arms around her and kissed her. "We'll keep him in the family after all."

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OFFICE ROOMS now occupied by Dr. H. J. Hauser, 119 South Fourth street, over Spurgeon Mercantile Co., after Aug. 1, 1916. Address Secretary Odd Fellows' Hall Association, La Crosse. 7 17 11

FOR RENT—Three large modern steam heated rooms, furnished complete for light housekeeping. 125 South 21st street. 1467-R new phone. 7 17 11

FOR RENT—Seven room fully modern house, furnished, from now until September 15. No. 119 North Fifth street; \$26 per month. C. F. Klein, 310 Pearl street. 7 8 11

FOR RENT—Five rooms downstairs. 946 Division street. 7 18 20

FOR RENT—Large well furnished room, bath, steam heat, telephone. Two blocks from Main. Inquire 510 King. Phone 1052-M. 7 20 22

FOR RENT—Store. Modern front. New building with large basement. City heat. 425 Jay street. 7 17 22

FOR RENT—Several delightfully cool rooms, to men only, at Y. M. C. A. For rates apply at office, 7th and Main. 7 6 11

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished connecting rooms, private entrance. Ladies preferred. 515 South Fifth. 7 3 11

FOR RENT—Pleasant light house-keeping rooms to reliable parties only. 510 South Fourth. 7 20 22

SIX ROOM modern lower apartment. 1316 State. Phone 141-2 rings. 7 20 26

SIX unfurnished rooms for rent, \$16 So. 5th St., call between 6 and 7 o'clock evenings. 7 18 20

EIGHT ROOM modern house for rent. Inquire Fred Dittman, 1101 State. 7 15 11

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms; clean, modern, homelike. 149 South Sixth. 7 17 23

FOR RENT—All modern, furnished flat, in duplex house, cool and desirable. 1175-M. 7 15 21

FOR RENT—Unfurnished house-keeping rooms for man and wife, \$12. 320 North Eighth. 7 10 22

FOR RENT—Furnished light house-keeping rooms, not modern. 1491-A new phone. 7 8 11

FOR RENT—One large furnished room. Modern. 631 State. 7 14 20

FOR RENT—Two front office rooms on second floor. Baker-Niebuhr Co. 4 29 11

FOR RENT—Three furnished light housekeeping rooms. 714 Cass. 7 1 11

FOR RENT—All modern light housekeeping apartment. 417 State. 7 12 11

FOR RENT—Housekeeping rooms, furnished. 516 Division. 7 20 26

HOUSE for rent, 723 Avon. Call 215 So. 7th. 7 19 22

SEVEN ROOMS, modern. 1021 Jackson. 7 20 11

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. 236 South Seventh. 7 20 26

FOR RENT—House 226 So. 24th St. 7 18 20

FOR RENT—Rooms, \$27 So. 9th St. 7 18 20

FOR RENT—Five room house, 1418 Vine. 7 17 22

FOR RENT—Five room upper flat at 1333 Ferry St. 7 6 11

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—\$400 on city property. Address "Property," care of Tribune. 7 3 11

DRESSMAKING—Shk suits, tub dresses. 516 Division. 485-M. 6 29 7 28

CARPENTER WORK WANTED by an experienced carpenter. 1112 Winnebago street. New phone 376-A. 7 10 8 9

N. A. MAGNUSSEN, 711 Market St. Cement work of all kinds. Reasonable prices. New Phone 1056-R. 7 6 5 5

LOST

LOST—Gold friendship pin, blue and white sets, size of quarter, at the levee near the band stand Monday night. Finder please return to the Tribune office. Reward. 7 19 20

WILL PERSON who found black purse in La Crosse Confectionery Wednesday evening please return? Keepsake tied in handkerchief. Call 672-R or old phone office. 7 20 21

LOST in city from automobile, Lin-en coat. Call 531-C. Reward. 7 18 20

FOUND

FOUND—Link bracelet. Owner may have same by calling at Tribune and paying for adv. 7 20 21

AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE

FOR roadster, \$265.00; Ohio five passenger, \$250.00; Buick roadster, \$245.00; Studebaker, electric lights and starter, \$450.00; Elson & Phillips, 110 South Second street. New phone 61. 7 19 22

FOR SALE—A 1916 5 passenger Metz automobile in good condition. Address Metz, care of La Crosse Tribune. 7 12 22

RYBOLD & WEIHAUPT, 215-217 South Front street, Imperial five passenger, \$350.00; White five passenger, \$200.00. 7 17 23

FOR SALE—Light five passenger car, bargain \$175. Hillview Green-houses, 24th and La Crosse streets. 7 20 22

CADILLAC, electric starter; delivery truck, A-1 shape, \$450; Packard chassis for truck or speedster. General Motor Car Co., 207 State. 6 27 7 26

CUT RATE SHIPPING

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific coast and other points, superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn. 7 15 11

SHOE REPAIRING

WHITEWAY SHOE REPAIR SHOPS 107 North Third street and 609 Main. Work called for and delivered. Old phone 624; new phone 1286-R. J. Jensen & Art Amunson. 7 3 8 2

STOVES AND FURNITURE

FURNITURE, STOVES, etc., bought and sold. Dalesy's, 625 S. Third. 1697-M. 6 22 7 21

SECOND-HAND furniture and stoves. Bell Furniture Co., 216 So. Third. 3 17 11

FINANCIAL

FOURTH BUILDING ASSOCIATION lends money on real estate. Study its monthly payment plan. 5 4 11

CLEANERS AND DYERS

LET US clean and press your suit. Fancy dresses, gloves, etc., specialty, quick service. Work called for. Pitzner's. Phones 201-M; 348-L. 6 23 7 22

UMBRELLAS REPAIRED

UMBRELLAS repaired and recovered, arasols a specialty. Mrs. C. A. Cordell, 1530 Mississippi. Phone 1728-M. 5 24 7 23

Daily Markets

(Quoted by John C. Burns.)

Wholesale

Blueberries, 16 qt. case\$2.40
Oranges, Sunkist Valencia, 150 size\$4.25
Oranges, Sunkist Valencia, 175 size\$4.25
Oranges, Sunkist Valencia, 200 size\$4.25
Cider, clarified, box\$3.75
Cider, clarified 1/2 bbl\$4.00
Cider, steam refined\$4.00
Cider, crab apple bbl\$5.50
Bananas\$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50
Lemons, 300 to 360 box\$6.00
Peaches, per box\$1.20
Plums, crate\$1.75
Watermelons\$3.00
Potatoes, new, bu\$1.20
Pears, Clappa, box\$2.00
Pears, Bartlett, box\$3.50
Prunes, Tragedy, crate\$2.00
Elberta Peaches, bu\$3.00
Elberta Peaches 1-3 bu.\$1.25

Livestock

(Quoted by Farmers' Co-operative Packing Company)
Hogs\$7.50 to \$9.00
Cows\$3.00 to \$5.50
Steers\$5.50 to \$6.50
Heifers\$4.50 to \$6.00
Calves\$5.00 to \$8.00
Sheep\$5.50 to \$8.00
Spring Lambs\$7.00 to \$8.00

Poultry

Chickens13 to 14c
Turkeys12 to 13c
Ducks12 to 13c
Geese12 to 13c

Provisions

Lard14 to 15c
Shoulders13 1/2 to 14c
Pork14 to 14 1/2c
Bacon19 to 20c
Ham19 to 20c
Dried beef24 1/2 to 25 1/2c

Grain

(Quoted by Farmers' Co-operative Market Co.)
Corn75 to 80c
Oats40 to 50c
Wheat90 to 110c
Rye80 to 85c
Barley65 to 75c

Flour and Feed

(Quoted by Listman Mill Co.)
Flour
Patents\$6.30
Straight\$6.60

Feed

Bran, per ton, 100 lb. sacks \$24.00
Shorts, per ton, 100 lb. sacks \$25.00
White Middlings, per ton, 100 lb. sacks \$30.00
Red Dog, ton, 100 lb. sacks \$32.00
Butter and Eggs
(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)
Creamery butter, pound29 to 30c
Dairy butter, pound25 to 26c
Eggs, fresh, dozen24c

Cheese

(Henry Anderegger)
Fancy full cream Brick Cheese, in cases16 to 17c
Wisconsin Twins16 to 17c
Wisconsin Daisys16 to 17c
Wisconsin Limburger18 to 20c
Wisconsin Swiss, round, 32 to 36c
Full Swiss, block24 to 25c
Primos7 1/2c
Mysost8 1/2c
German Hand Cheese, per Lox90c

Comparative Markets

These Quotations Show the General Trend of Prices for the Previous Week

LIVESTOCK YESTERDAY

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., July 19.—Hogs—Receipts, 24,800; market, slow; mixed and butchers, \$9.20 to \$10.00; good heavy, \$9.55 to \$9.55, rough heavy, \$9.20 to \$9.35; light, \$9.30 to \$10.00; pigs, \$8.00 to \$9.35.
Cattle—Receipts, 14,000; market, \$6.90 to \$10.75; cows and heifers, \$3.35 to \$9.40; stockers and feeders, \$7.75 to \$8.25; Texans, \$8.20 to \$9.10; calves, \$8.50 to \$12.00.
Sheep—Receipts, 14,000; market, slow; native, \$6.75 to \$8.00; western, \$7.00 to \$8.30; lambs, \$7.00 to \$10.40; western, \$7.25 to \$10.60.

Chicago Grain Review

CHICAGO, July 20.—Reports of damages to the Dakotas' wheat crop and the heavy wind and rain over Iowa, were responsible for boosts of more than two cents in wheat values today. July wheat was up 2 1/4c at 113 1/4; September up 1/4c at 115; December up 2 3/4c at 117 1/4.
Corn opened easier but rallied on the strength of the wheat market. July was up 1/4c at 79 1/4; September up 1/4c at 75 1/4; December up 1/4c at 64 1/4.
Oats made gains also on the strength of the other grains. July, September and December were up 1/4c at 40 1/4; 40 1/4c and 42 1/4c respectively.
Provisions were lower on a weak hog market.
Dec.115
CORN—
July79 1/2
Sept.74 1/2
Dec.64 1/2
OATS—
July40 1/2
Sept.40 1/2
Dec.42 1/2

WHEAT—

July110 1/4
Sept.112 1/4

Foreign Markets

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, July 20.—Marine issues were weak in a market which elsewhere showed narrow and irregular changes at the opening of the Stock exchange today.
Marine preferred sold off six at \$2 3/4, but soon recovered part of its loss. Munitions were up about half a point, while several leading rails were down fractionally.
Industrial Alcohol sold at 11 1/2c on reports that a big French contract for Alcohol had been closed. After the first few minutes trading showed no marked tendency in either direction.
The market was extremely dull and was almost without price change until 1:30, when Steel, Marine preferred, and some of the munition shares showed gains.
Industrial Alcohol had fallen back to 11 1/2c at noon. Marine preferred was the most active stock on the list, selling at \$2 1/2 at noon after having sold as low as \$1 3/4. Baldwin and Crucible were forced down 1 1/2 points and each recovered about a point.
The market closed firm.

New York Money

NEW YORK, July 20.—Money on call, 2 1/4 per cent; time money, 4 to 4 1/4 per cent; prime mercantile, 4 to 4 1/4 per cent; bar silver, London, 29 7/8d; New York, 62 3/4c; demand sterling, \$4.75 13-16.

Kansas City Livestock

KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 5,500; market steady, 15c lower; steers, \$6 to \$10.50; cows and heifers, \$7.50 to \$9.50; stockers and feeders, \$6 to \$8; calves, \$6.50 to \$11.
Hogs—Receipts, 6,000; market strong, 5c higher; bulk, \$9.55 to \$9.65; heavy, \$9.75 to \$9.85; medium, \$9.65 to \$9.9

Gladiola Day Friday **60c and 75c per Dozen** For the Season's Most Beautiful Flowers

Best Dairy Butter Friday, 23c per pound

DOERFLINGER'S

This Store Closes Every Wednesday at Noon



A Phenomenal Sale of Women's and Misses' Summer Street Dresses

These dresses consist of the entire stock of a New York Manufacturer's summer dresses, bought at a radical reduction in price, by our buyer who is now in the market. There are all sizes, styles to suit every taste, and in this large assortment you will find just the combination of color you want. See them in windows; then come up and try them on. This assortment contains dresses worth \$12.50, \$15.00 and \$18.50.

These Dresses will be Divided Into Three Lots:

LOT ONE	LOT TWO	LOT THREE
Dresses, values up to \$3.50, Friday and Saturday at	Dresses, values up to \$6.00, for Friday and Saturday at	Dresses, values up to \$12.50, \$15. and \$18.50, Friday and Saturday
\$1.98	\$3.15	\$7.85

COUPON SPECIALS JUST FOR FRIDAY SUMMER DRESS GOODS

- \$1.25 40 INCH BLACK SILK POPLIN, 98c YARD
Bring coupon with you Friday and buy the best \$1.25 Black Silk Poplin, 40 inches wide.
- \$1.25 42 INCH ENGLISH STRIPE MOHAIR, 69c YARD
The price for Friday will be just about half, if you bring coupon. Don't miss this bargain.
- \$1.00 32 INCH WHITE VELVET CORDUROY, 75c YARD
The kind you require for sport coats and skirts. Bring coupon to secure this special value.
- \$1.25 32 INCH BLACK TAFFETA SILK, \$1.00 YARD
By bringing coupon with you, you save enough on a dress pattern to make it worth your while.
- 39c 36 INCH SPORT STRIPE SKIRTINGS, 29c YARD
A new shipment of these much wanted sport stripes. Clip coupon to share in this great bargain.
- UP TO 25c PRINTED WASH GOODS, 9c YARD
A clean up of a broken assortment, 27 to 40 inches wide, worth double the price. Bring coupon.

SPECIAL BARGAINS IN THE SHOE DEPARTMENT

- Men's heavy Work Shoes, blucher lace style, heavy weight sole, leather heel, with tip, either black or tan kangaroo calf. Sizes 6 to 10. Pair. **\$2.45**
 - Women's patent Colt Pumps, welt sole, leather Louis heel and white calf leather piping, pair. **\$2.95**
 - Women's Lotus Tan Calf Lace Oxford, made on a good roomy last, pair. **\$1.95**
 - Misses' and Children's White Canvas Baby Doll Pumps, with leather soles and heels. **95c**
- ### SPECIAL BARGAINS BOYS' DEPARTMENT
- Boys' Sport Blouses, with long or short sleeve, tapeless style, in a variety of patterns, sizes 6 to 15 years, each. **50c**
 - Boys' Tapeless Blouse, with high military collar and closed cuff, sizes 6 to 15 years, each. **25c**
 - Boys' Crash Linen Wash Knickers. These are cut large and are well made, sizes 6 to 16 years. **75c**

GROCERY COMBINATIONS FRIDAY

- NO. 1**
Kellogg's Corn Flakes, 5c
1 box (500) Matches, 5c
1 pound Lump Starch, 5c
All the above for... **15c**
- NO. 2**
5 lbs. best Granulated Cane Sugar, 29c
1 box (500) Matches, 5c
1 gallon Wine Vinegar, 15c
5 pounds Lump Starch, 10c
All the above for... **59c**
- NO. 3**
1 pound Rio Coffee, 10c
5 pounds Oatmeal, 10c
All the above for... **20c**
- NO. 4**
5 lbs. best Granulated Cane Sugar, 29c
1 pound Royal Blend Coffee, 25c
1 box Oil Sardines, 5c
All the above for... **59c**
- NO. 5**
5 lbs. best Granulated Cane Sugar, 29c
1 pound Japan Tea, 40c
All the above for... **69c**
- NO. 6**
5 lbs. best Granulated Cane Sugar, 29c
1/2 pound of Spices of your own selection, 20c
All the above for... **49c**
- FLOUR**—45 pound sack of Grand Flour at **\$1.65**
- \$2.00 worth of Extra Stamps PEACHES—White Horse Peaches, No. 2 can **11c**
- COCOA—40c worth of Stamps with each 10c purchase of Stollwerck's Chocolate or Cocoa.

THESE 20 BARGAINS WILL BE FOUND IN OUR BARGAIN BASEMENT FRIDAY SPECIALS ONLY

- A package of Picnic Plates, 12 Napkins, the two articles for **5c**
- Jelly Glasses, tin covers, dozen **18c**
- Jelly Molds, crimped sides, dozen **17c**
- Only a few Children's Ham-mocks left from the Managers' Sale at **50c**
- White Lead, in 12 1/2 pound kits, pound **7c**
- These dusty days one needs a good Floor Mop, O' Cedar 75c size Mop, Friday at **48c**
- The 25c size O' Cedar Oil, bottle **19c**
- A few Screen Doors to close out at a big sacrifice. These are finished in natural wood. The regular \$1.50 kind Friday at **89c**
- Glass Rolling Pins, 1 piece. The best Rolling Pin on the market at **23c**
- Bath Room Fixtures, very special.
- Tooth Brush **10c**
- Holders at **39c**
- Bath Brushes at **39c**
- Bath Tub Seats, white enamel **39c**
- Boys' Velocipedes—Steel tires, **\$1.69**
- Rubber tires, **\$3.50**
- Boys' Automobiles, easy to run, a dandy **\$5.98**
- Garbage Cans, with fly catchers attached, each **88c**
- Grass Shears—not a toy, but guaranteed to cut the grass **25c**
- Window Screens, 24 inches high **25c**
- Brooms, Friday only **29c**
- Two Burner Blue Flame Oil Stove, on high stand, at **\$6.48**
- A new Mexican Shopping Basket. By wetting it you can make it any shape. **50c**
- A Big Combination Offer 6 dozen Clothes Pins; one big gray Enameled Tea Kettle, the two articles **29c**
- Playing Cards, regular 10c and 15c packages, two packages for **15c**

CLOTHING SECTION

If you will present this coupon in our Men's Department, we will accept it as One Dollar part payment on the purchase of any of our Men's Light Weight Unlined Office Coats. These Coats are made of black and gray materials, and sell at... \$2.98 and up

Choice of a splendid line of flowing end four-in-hand Ties, regularly **25c** sold at 39c, at... **25c**

These are made generously large; the materials are excellent and an exceptional value. Choice... **25c**

Entire stock of Men's Straw Hats, worth up to \$2.00, at only **\$1.00**

Come in and take your choice. None reserved.

GOPHER TROOPS FAR FROM READY FOR ACTIVE DUTY

Best Equipped of All State Militia at Brownsville But Are Far From Prepared

IOWANS LEAVE THURSDAY

Railroad Equipment Arrives and Battalion of Third Is the First to Entrain

CAMP LLANO-GRANDE, Texas, July 20.—If the Minnesota troops at Camp Llano-Grande were called upon today to go into actual warfare they would not be an efficient fighting force. This same statement, according to regular army officers and most national guard officers here, applies to every national guard unit along the border. If there is war in Mexico, pray these officers, let it be delayed at least two months.

The Minnesota men, and the other militia commands, are neither trained nor equipped for field service. "It has been more than four weeks since the call for mobilization came, but the border today is furnishing just as many object lessons in unpreparedness as were furnished at Camp Bohler and other home concentration points of the guard."

At least 110 mules and horses are needed by each Minnesota regiment. The First has three horses, the Third one, and the Second two.

DES MOINES, Ia., July 20.—The Chicago Great Western railroad Wednesday turned over to the Des Moines interurban the equipment necessary to take the first battalion of the Third Iowa Infantry to the Brownsville, Texas, concentration camp of the Iowa National Guard. It was stated at Camp Dodge that the battalion comprising Companies A, B, C and D probably would be en route before night Thursday.

It was learned Wednesday afternoon that utmost efforts have been made to arrange for tourist sleepers for the men but that sufficient day coaches to accommodate the Third regiment have been concentrated at Celweine, Ia., and will be used unless the tourist sleepers are forthcoming at once.

There was little possibility in the opinion of officers that the troop movement would begin before late Thursday. It was pointed out that with limited switching facilities coupled with the fact that the interurban line over which it will be necessary to transport the troops is a single track line, will make the movement slow.

About twenty-five cars divided into trains according to their weight will be required to move the first battalion.

Details for the departure of the Iowa guards were left to Colonel Morgan and General H. A. Allen, commanding the brigade. According to orders issued Tuesday night the Third Infantry will be the first to entrain.

Worthington's Battalion Leads

The first troop train to leave Camp Dodge will take the First battalion of the Third regiment. This battalion is in command of Major E. C. Worthington of Des Moines.

Company B of Des Moines is included in the First battalion. The other companies are Company A of Winterset, Company C of Creston and Company D of Centerville.

Seventy-five cars will be required to carry the first regiment, which has approximately 1,200 enlisted men and officers.

The first trains will go over the Great Western, but all other western roads will assist in carrying other units. About sixty hours will be required for the trip to Brownsville.

While two women are going through the throes of kissing each other, man looks on in an attitude of helplessness.

Hutchinson, Minn., where they will visit with Mr. and Mrs. Thronson's daughter, Mabelle.

C. A. Weider, wife and children of Mauston, Wis., were the guests of D. W. Robinson's over Sunday.

J. Carlson, electrician, has been repairing the works of the Tri-State telephone office the past week.

Little Miss Marion Omodt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Omodt, while swinging in a hammock, received a fall which caused the dislocation of her shoulder.

F. Barton of Belfield, Wis., has been the guest of relatives and local friends the past week.

Dr. Fullerton, a former well known veterinary surgeon of this place, died at his home in Caledonia Tuesday.

Misses Glen Peterson and Norma Amidon have returned from Fergus Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Wahl, after spending a few days with Mr. Wahl's parents at Lanesboro, are now guests at the T. Chapel home.

J. Kerrian and family motored to La Crosse Saturday.

The Misses Agnes and Ruth Osgard left Monday for Milwaukee, where they will visit relatives.

Mrs. D. Clint Dyer and daughter Daphne have gone for a visit with Mrs. D's sister at Greenbush, Minn.

Ed Campbell left last week for Jackson, Mich., where he will visit his brother, B. Campbell and family.

Locals

Royal and Myrtle Parish of Rushford are visiting at the home of their uncle, A. Weom.

Mrs. Geslin and children of Grandy, Minn., are the guests at the C. T. Sortingstad home.

Mr. and Mrs. Thorval Thronson and son, Theodore, motored to

LAIRD THRILLS BIG CROWD WITH REPEATED LOOPS

Chains of Somersaults High Above the Track Make the Race Fans Gasp

Looping the loop three and four times in succession several times, driving his Curtiss biplane upside down for several seconds at a time, dropping in the air and righting his machine to sail off smoothly in the clear sky above the fair grounds race track Wednesday afternoon, Emil Laird, 19-year-old loop-the-loop aeroplanist of Chicago gave a large audience at the racing meeting its fill of dare-devil flying on the closing day of the event.

Champion Safe Flyer

Frank Champion, riding in a Bieriot moled machine which he built himself several years ago, and which he says is the safest machine in America, also gave an exhibition, but Champion's was an exhibition of safe-and-sane flying. The only real thrill Champion gave his audience was when he drove his man-bird close to exploding bombs, shot into the air from behind a canvas fort opposite the grandstand.

The requests of a score of persons who wanted to fly with Champion and Laird were refused on account of the lack of space for starting and alighting inside the race track. The precaution the flyers took probably saved an accident when Champion landed at the close of his journey in the sky. His machine lit squarely in the center of the Normal athletic field, but veered off to one side suddenly and was nearly in a collision with the normal bleacher seats on the east side of the field.

In explaining why he never tried to loop the loop, Champion, who began his career seven years ago with Arch Hoxey, killed in Los Angeles in 1910, says that life is too good to lose in his youth. He is of the opinion that "straight flying" is as safe as automobiling, but that death comes sooner or later, to the flyer who performs "stunts."

Laird Says Crowd Wants Thrills

Young Laird admits the danger of flying upside down, but says that the people demand "something exciting."

"The people are getting used to seeing a flying machine soar around in the air," he said, "they now demand that we endanger ourselves, and they are always looking for something new."

Laird was in the air for about fifteen minutes, but neither he nor Champion made second flights.

The crowd in the grandstand gasped when they saw the youthful birdman land his flyer in a field far outside the race track. Laird did not light in his usual place, he explained, because he feared there was not enough room for a safe landing.

MEAT INJURIOUS TO THE KIDNEYS

Take a tablespoonful of Salts if Back hurts or Bladder bothers.

We are a nation of meat eaters and our blood is filled with uric acid, says a well known authority, who warns us to be constantly on guard against kidney trouble.

The kidneys do their utmost to free the blood of this irritating acid, but become weak from the overwork; they get sluggish; the eliminative tissues clog and thus the waste is retained in the blood to poison the entire system.

When your kidneys ache and feel like lumps of lead, and you have stinging pains in the back or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment, or the bladder is irritable, obliging you to seek relief during the night, when you have severe headaches, nervous and dizzy spells, sleeplessness, acid stomach or rheumatism in bad weather, get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning and in a few days your kidneys will act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate clogged kidneys, to neutralize the acids in urine so it is no longer a source of irritation, thus ending urinary and bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure, makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink, and nobody can make a mistake by taking a little occasionally to keep the kidneys clean and active.

Verse and Reverse

SOUR GRAPES

I love to sit upon my cottage porch
And watch the rich ride by in their
machines.
I love to see the handsome touring
cars.
The cute coupes and ponderous lim-
ousines.
I love the odor they all leave for me
To breathe long after they have hur-
ried by.
I love to sit until I suffocate
In clouds of dirt and dust they have
made fly.
I love to sit and listen to the honks
And shrieks and squawks and squeals
they hurl at me.
They make night hideous and I
Forget my other troubles all, you see.
So let them honk and snort and hit the
breeze.
And burst their tires and suffer other
ills.
Let them enjoy what peace of mind
they may.
I am content, I do not get the bills.

Uplifters are persons who know just how the world could be made better through the changing of the ways of others.

Free advice is often pretty expensive at that.

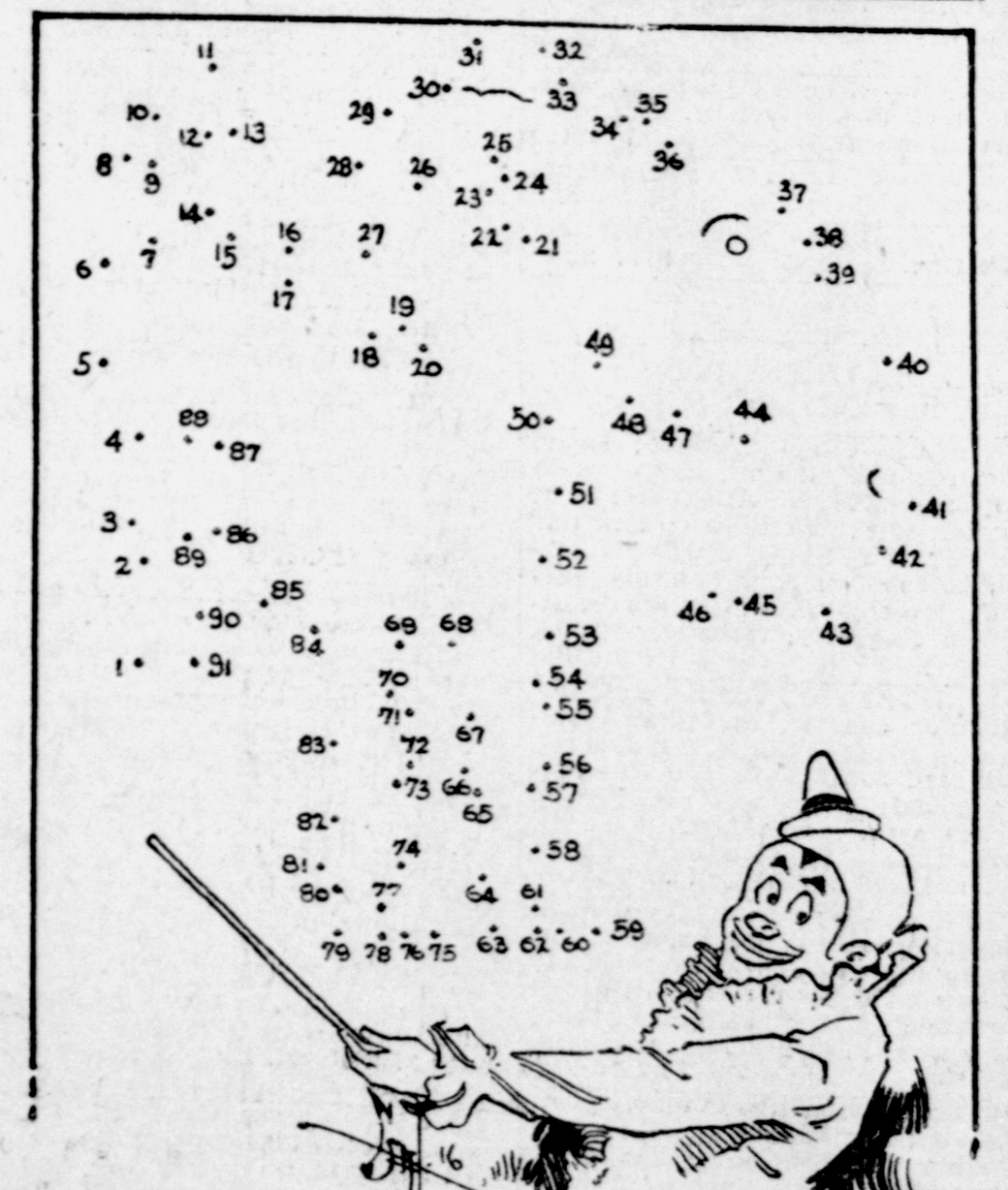
What is Castoria

CASTORIA is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic, all Teething Troubles and Diarrhoea. It regulates the Stomach and Bowels, assimilates the Food, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher, and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

DAILY PICTURE PUZZLE



What was it that performed with the clown?
Complete the picture by drawing a line through the dots. Begin at No. 1 and take them numerically.

HOUSTON CHOIR TO GIVE CONCERT

HOUSTON, Minn., July 20.—(Special).—Miss H. Louise Wright, instructor of the Rushford Lutheran church choir, with her large chorus of thirty singers, will give a concert at the St. Peter's Lutheran church of this city Sunday, July 23,

at 7:45 p. m. The program will consist of four English and eight Norwegian songs and a lecture by Rev. J. Rockne. A collection will be taken at the close of the concert.

Left by Train

Monday morning a number of people were disappointed when the eastbound train on which they had planned to go, pulled out of Houston leaving them behind. They were unable to get to their train because the main track was blocked by the westbound train. They expected this

train to be "cut" and consequently made no further efforts to get to their train. While they were thus patiently waiting this train left. The accommodation given people by the C. M. & St. P. railroad is not always of the best.

Social Events

Mrs. W. A. Anderson entertained at a birthday supper at her home south of the village last Friday in honor of her mother, Mrs. L. Weom.

Mrs. J. B. Gerard entertained the

Reading club last Friday.

Miss Verna Robinson entertained a number of her friends at her home Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Winnie Cook of La Crescent.

Locals

Royal and Myrtle Parish of Rushford are visiting at the home of their uncle, A. Weom.

Mrs. Geslin and children of Grandy, Minn., are the guests at the C. T. Sortingstad home.

Mr. and Mrs. Thorval Thronson and son, Theodore, motored to

Local Weather

Fair tonight and Friday. Somewhat warmer Friday.
Today's temperatures: 44 a. m., 68; 8 a. m., 74; 1 p. m., 84.

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LEAGUE BUREAU
ELECTS DUBRAKS
AND LOWRY HEADS

Organization Meeting of North Side Department Is Held Wednesday Night

HIXON HEADS DELEGATION

Big Attendance from the South Side at Meeting and Co-operation Is Pledged

The Progressive League bureau of the Chamber of Commerce was organized Wednesday night at Fjelslad hall on the North side, and two directors were elected to the governing board of the Chamber of Commerce. The selections were Jos. G. Dubraks for the long term, and Robert Lowry for the short term. The meeting was well attended, and was an enthusiastic affair.

Hixon Heads Southsiders

There was a large delegation of citizens from the South side at the meeting. These were headed by President F. P. Hixon. The presence of the delegation was out of compliment to the manner in which the business men of the North side have supported the Chamber of Commerce movement. President Hixon, who presided at the meeting, assured the new bureau that the Chamber of Commerce would work for the North side just as it would for any other part of the city.

Other talks were made by Albert Funk and President Dubraks of the Progressive League. Mr. Funk, while residing on the south side, has his factory on the north side, and has long been an active member of the Progressive League. He painted a glowing future for that side of town as an industrial center.

Dubraks Pledges Co-operation
Mr. Dubraks pledged the hearty co-operation of the new bureau to the Chamber of Commerce. He said that he hoped the day would soon come when the city would be so built up that there would be no north or south side.

At the beginning of the meeting D. H. McFarland made a short talk in which he explained the machinery of the bureau type of organization. An informal meeting of the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce was held Thursday morning at 11 o'clock at the La Crosse club. The meeting was held to talk over affairs, inasmuch as President Hixon would be out of town for about two weeks. Arrangements for the membership meeting August 1 were made, a committee appointed to investigate headquarters for the Chamber, and other business was transacted. The board will not attempt any official business until after August 1, as their election must be ratified by the membership meeting at that time to make their tenure of office as directors legal.

Trade War Is
Not Likely
Is Belief

WASHINGTON, July 20.—The state department today informally requested from the British embassy further information regarding the black listing of American firms. This action was taken following the embassy's notification that the published list of blacklisted firms was correct. The department has not received the official list.

WASHINGTON, July 20.—The possibility of a trade war with England over her black list policy was deprecated by many officials here today. They said for one thing, that the Bryan arbitration treaty might prevent the United States from taking any retaliatory measures before a year. By that time the necessity for the black list very likely will have ceased.

Another difficulty the government will encounter is that of proving that steamship lines are violating the interstate commerce act in refusing freight of black listed firms. In the past the steamship companies always have refused to lay complaint against the British authorities and have claimed there was so much cargo they were justified in not taking that of a doubtful nature.

The state department is expected to take the matter up shortly with the British government, however, by note and informal negotiations, in an effort to obtain modifications of the British order.

WILL BOOZ REGISTERS

NEW YORK, July 20.—Will Booz is registered at the Waldorf Hotel employees are wondering if he will.

DIVER PLAYS TRICK
ON THROG GATHERED
TO WITNESS LEAVING

BY CARL D. GROAT

(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

BALTIMORE, Md., July 20.

Dawn today found the German submarine freighter Deutschland still docked here, flanked by obscuring barges and the protecting tug Timmins. Maneuvers before daylight led to the belief that she intended to make a dash for the capes, but what her plans now may be is hidden in a mystery deeper and darker than the mud beneath her.

A run for the capes before or after tonight's nightfall seems logical and probable.

During the night, the Deutschland's hatches were fastened and her fore and aft masts telescoped, so that only her periscopes showed. This with the extra precautions by watchmen, by patrol launches and the searchlight of operators on the Tim-

mins gave rise to the impression that at last the giant undersea freighter intended starting homeward.

In the moonlight, the submarine lay like a giant green fish. Now and again the Timmins puffed close to her, jealously guarding her from the curious. Finally at 5 a. m. she opened a line in the barges, maneuvered a few minutes and seemed ready for the dash.

It failed to materialize; the cord was closed again and the mystery was more mysterious than ever.

Captain Hirsch, transportation master for the new freighters, is whispering to his friends that the Bremen will dock here by Saturday. Certainly, everything points that way—and to the departure of the Deutschland either simultaneously or earlier.

FISHING AND BASEBALL
WHET APPETITES OF
CITY AND COUNTY DADS

DRESDEN PARK, Minn., July 20.—(Special.)—Aboard the good ship Belle Saenger, the lawyers' special was ferried here from La Crosse for the annual picnic of city and county officials. Dresden park has come to life.

The boat pulled in before ten o'clock and discharged such personages as Art Holmes, District Attorney Otto M. Schlachach, Police Judge C. W. Hunt, J. E. McConnell and Judge Leonard Kleeber.

Helmman McConnell conned the craft up the river like a veteran. Dr. Jens Rosholt commanded in the stern and Eugene H. Derr, candidate for sheriff, with his pocket bulging with cigars, was ballast amidship. His smile was broad and his cigars short-lived.

Several conferences were held on the boat. McConnell gave her much juice and the velocity of the craft apparently worried the officers of the peace. No arrests were made.

Park Superintendent J. H. Forster was in ecstasy throughout the voyage. The scenery held his attention and he was seen to be mentally calculating the cost of transporting a good job of the beauty to La Crosse.

Henry Gund and Val Keppel also made the trip with the barbers. Nine boat loads carried upwards of 250 people to the playground at the foot of the bluffs.

Forty Cases of Pop.
One might have thought a regiment about to embark when the commissary arrived. Included were forty cases of pop, eighty cans of tomatoes and 180 pounds of veal. Skat and poker enthusiasts saw to it thirty packs of cards were taken along.

It was a sorry day for the funny ones of the Mississippi, especially with an experienced nabber of the type of John E. Weber, wielding the poles. The undersheriff came in early in the morning.

THOMPSON CHOSEN
MEMBER OF STATE
PILOTING BOARD

Local Man Put on Progressive Republican Executive Committee to Run Campaign

BOB STARTS IN AUGUST

First Speech Will Be Made in Milwaukee at Joint Meeting of Equity Society and Labor

James Thompson, La Crosse, on Wednesday afternoon was chosen a member of the executive committee of the republican progressive state central committee, which will have charge of the state campaign. The selection was made at a conference of the committee and candidates held in the Merrill building, Milwaukee, with an enthusiastic attendance.

Hear Optimistic Reports
Mr. Thompson returned early Thursday from Milwaukee, bringing back optimistic reports from all over the state, which were given to the committee by the members from the various districts.

Senator R. M. La Follette will open his primary fight in Milwaukee county on August 26, when he will speak at the state fair park before a joint meeting of the American Society of Equity and the Federated Trades council.

Goodland Is Chairman
W. S. Goodland, Racine, was elected chairman and treasurer of the committee, and G. E. Morton, Milwaukee, was named secretary. Morton will be in charge of the headquarters here.

W. D. Corrigan, Milwaukee; George Leicht, Wausau; and Mr. Thompson, La Crosse, will serve with Goodland and Morton as members of the executive committee, which will outline campaign plans and distribute literature. Morton announced that in Milwaukee county it is planned to hold a series of meetings in schoolhouses.

Among those who will take the

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LACK OF CARE FOR
SOLDIER GREATEST
FAULT IN U. S. ARMY

Illinois Guard Says Fighters Cannot Fight Well When Worrying Over Folks at Home

FAULT ABSENT IN EUROPE

Men in the Trenches, Says Shepherd, Know Their Families Are Cared For; Funston Deplores Conditions

(Editor's Note.—William G. Shepherd, United Press correspondent, arrived in San Antonio yesterday for a visit to the militia camps. He will tell how American army conditions compare with those in Europe. Shepherd has visited every front in Europe.)

BY WILLIAM G. SHEPHERD

(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, July 20.

Not one soldier that rubbed elbows with in all the armies of Europe in the past two years ever worried as some of these American soldiers along the edge of Mexico.

These Americans I refer to are worrying about their families back home; they don't know whether their wives and children have enough to eat. Such a deplorable situation could not possibly exist in any European army, for European governments care for the families of their soldiers.

The Mexican government doesn't; we don't. I've talked with hundreds of soldiers of six different armies in Europe. I talked today with my first soldier of the new American army. I talked to Europeans in artillery pits, trenches and dugouts, but I talked with the American in a jitney going from San Antonio to the army post.

If the Germans knew Britishers were treating the families of their soldiers as we are treating ours, or vice versa, the fact would be blazoned worldwide as an indication of governmental cruelty by the enemy. It's not cruelty on our part, only oversight, and the lesson we've learned has cost unhappiness and embarrassment in many American homes.

If an American correspondent learned from a British soldier what I learned from Frank Shepkowski, my first American soldier, today, he would break the British censorship to get the story to the world. Shepkowski of Company H, Second Illinois infantry, will march up the steps

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CASTLE IN WEST
INDIES SAYS WIFE
SCHEDULE FILED

First Meeting of the Creditors Called Wednesday to Meet August First

ASSETS PROVE VERY SMALL

Liabilities More Than \$50,000 While Property Listed Is Estimated at \$6,500

A. M. Castle, president of the Castle Engineering company which recently went sensationally upon the rocks, is in the West Indies. This was the statement given out, Thursday morning by his wife, when asked by a reporter of THE TRIBUNE if her husband would be back to attend the first meeting of his creditors, for an was called on Wednesday for August 1.

Mrs. Castle said that she did not know just where her husband is. She has not heard from him in a month, she said, and the last letter came from the West Indies, where he wrote her that he was engaged on a business deal.

"Not Running Away," Mrs. Castle volunteered. "He is there on business. He would be back for the meeting, but I can't get word to him in time."

R. D. Gordon, attorney, who signed the schedule of assets and liabilities filed Wednesday with Judge C. L. Baldwin, referee in bankruptcy, said that he has no knowledge of his client's whereabouts. The last he heard from him, he said, was through a man in Chicago, who told him that Castle was endeavoring to raise money to meet his obligations.

Assets Are Tiny
That creditors will get but little on their accounts is indicated by the

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Villistas Fail
In Assault On
Supplies Train

EL PASO, Texas, July 20.—Six government soldiers and seven Villistas were killed in the attack on a Carranzista supply train at Palomas, Chihuahua, on Monday, according to private dispatches here. The dispatches conflicted with previous reports from Chihuahua City, which indicated the attack took place Tuesday.

Other reports reaching here said a band of about fifty outlaws under Nicholas Hernandez also is operating in the vicinity of Palomas, which is about twenty-three miles south of Chihuahua City and about fifteen miles east of Santa Isabel.

It is believed here that the remnants of the band under Martin Lopez, which was beaten off by the train guard in the attack, may attempt to effect a junction with this command.

The Villistas failed to secure any supplies.

case is concerned. The simple and wholesome army food is putting stomachs in good shape and the clean pure air that sweeps across the plains of Texas is bound to give them great vitality.

It's Health Resort
Instead of coming into a barren land filled with deadly reptiles and insects and a climate that meant death to all but the fittest, the Badger troops upon arriving at San Antonio found themselves in a health

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FARMER ENDS LIFE
WITH DYNAMITE
GRAZED BY HEAT

Headless Body of Jos. Bartsch Found in Bed of Mormon Coulee Creek Thursday Morning

MISSING SINCE MONDAY

Home Life Was Happy and the Farm Prosperous; Only Insanity Seen as the Cause

Insanity due to the heat, it is believed, caused Joseph Bartsch, prosperous farmer of Mormon Coulee, to end his life by touching off a stick of dynamite in his mouth probably Monday evening. His headless body was found Thursday morning lying in the bed of Mormon Coulee creek on the Schumacher farm, a few miles from his home.

Bartsch had been missing since Monday afternoon. Wednesday afternoon neighbors called the police department in La Crosse, asking them to search for the missing man. His family had become alarmed at his prolonged absence, and had scoured the neighborhood, in an effort to find a trace of him.

Mental disturbance, due to the intense heat during the last fortnight, is the only cause to which friends of the farmer today would attribute his act. The farm which he bought six years ago, has been doing well in the past few years. He had a happy and comfortable home life, so far as is known.

Former Supervisor Herman Roessler, from whom Bartsch purchased his eighty-acre farm in the Mormon Coulee, a great friend of the dead man, brought the news of his tragic death to La Crosse this morning. He came to notify Coroner W. L. Tetley. It is probable that no inquest will be held.

Bartsch was a married man, the father of three children.

USE OF FLAG AS
COLLECTOR DRAWS
IRE FROM "BOB"

Senator Intimates He May Support Wilson in November Against the Moneyed Interests

DEFRIES APPROPRIATIONS

Badger Senator Says Destruction of Armament Across the Ocean Enough to Stop Preparedness Here

WASHINGTON, July 20.—Referring to what he called "the new-born policy of guaranteeing American investments by the American flag," Senator Robert M. La Follette, progressive-republican of Wisconsin, in the senate this afternoon, said the issue of the campaign, the people of the United States will vindicate the president most emphatically.

La Follette was insisting on his amendment to the naval bill that none of the battleships be used for the collection of debts owed American bondholders or concessionaries in foreign countries, when Democratic Whip Lewis asked:

Approves Mexican Policy
"Then you would approve the Mexican policy of President Wilson?" "Most emphatically, yes," answered La Follette. "I hope the republican candidate will not endorse the proposed new born policy that when an American investor buys a concession worth \$1,000,000 for a tenth that sum, the American flag and arms shall be used to see he collects full face value on his speculation."

"This president said in Detroit he would not use the United States army and navy for such a collection agency."

"If that question is made the issue of the campaign, the people of the United States will vindicate the president most emphatically."

Sees No Need for Increase
La Follette was engaged in a spirited debate with Senator Brandegee of Connecticut.

"What has happened," he demanded, "that we should increase our military appropriations from \$29,000,000 last year to \$40,000,000 this year?"

"All reason the other way. The other countries of the world are losing money."

Americans Are
Ordered Out

GALVESTON, Tex., July 20.—Refugees arriving here today from Vera Cruz reported that Consul Canada has ordered all Americans out of Mexico. They say Canada received instructions to that effect Sunday, despite apparently peaceful conditions.

FRENCH MOVE FORWARD
IN NEW OFFENSIVE ON
PERRONNE OBJECTIVEANTI-CATHOLIC
PLANK ADOPTED
BY THE PROHIBS

Committee Declares for Freedom of American Institutions and Separation of Church and State

SUSAN B. ANTHONY WINS

Platform Advocates a World Court and Destruction of Fleets Beyond Need for Protection

AUDITORIUM, ST. PAUL, July 20.—William E. Sulzer of New York received a great demonstration when he addressed the prohibition national convention this afternoon. In an address he said he was "not a candidate," but intimated he would accept a nomination.

AUDITORIUM, ST. PAUL, Minn., July 20.—The prohibition platform committee after a bitter internal fight reported a conservative anti-Catholic plank to the convention today.

The plank on which the fight raged in committee for several hours, advocated "freedom for our American institutions and separation of the church and state."

The platform, among other things, advocated friendship for Mexico, the Susan B. Anthony suffrage amendment, no surrender of the Philippines, a preparedness policy for defense only, being "unalterably opposed to the militaristic principles of the republican and democratic parties."

The platform seeks a world's court, advocated "junking" battle fleets in the event of general disarmament, but pledges a force sufficient for protection. It opposes universal service and favors using the army in big constructive works of peace, and use of our navy in time of peace as merchant ships.

Steam Roller Fails
An attempt to "steam roller" the platform through the convention for adoption without having it printed or further time for consideration met with determined opposition and threats of a roll call. It was finally decided to await its adoption in formal course of order.

Platform
The first plank is that of prohibition. Most of the social justice

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CHILD SERIOUSLY
HURT BY FALLING
POLE AT CONCERT

Six Year Old Margaret Schmickala May Die from Fracture of Skull Wednesday Evening

Margaret, six year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Schmickala, 1105 South Eleventh street, was perhaps fatally injured when an electric light pole crashed down upon her head while she stood listening to a band concert at the West Avenue playground Wednesday evening. The falling pole fractured the little girl's skull. She was reported unconscious and very low at St. Francis hospital.

That no one else was injured by the sudden collapse of the light pole is regarded as exceptionally fortunate. The playground was crowded, and hundreds saw the accident. Several other little girls standing with Margaret Schmickala had narrow escapes when the pole fell with out warning. It struck the child a glancing blow on the top of the head, rendering her unconscious.

Margaret was rushed immediately to St. Francis hospital, where Dr. Edward Evans performed an operation at once.

At the park department offices in the city hall it was said that the Schmickala girl was injured when a rush of the crowd to tear down Japanese lanterns strung on wires between the poles around the bandstand pulled the supports from their moorings. The concert had just been finished, and the crowd surged forward, it was said, forty or fifty feet, the wires upon which the lanterns were hung. Two poles fell when the crowd rushed. The second pole fell in the midst of a big crowd, but luckily hurt no one.

George Ritter, assistant park superintendent, was one of the first to bring aid to the injured girl. He picked her up and ran with her to the hospital.

HEADWAY MADE ON
BOTH SOMME FRONT
LINE STRAIGHTENED

Entire First Line Trench Between Berleau and Aoyecourt Captured by French; 400 Prisoners Taken

POSITIONS RECAPTURED

British Drive Germans from Longueval and Delville Woods, Which Fell in Counter Attack Tuesday

PARIS, July 20.—French troops resumed their offensive on both sides of the river Somme last night, with successful drives against the German lines both northwest and southwest of Peronne. It was officially announced today.

North of the Somme, French infantry established new lines along the Combes-Clery narrow gauge railway, taking 400 prisoners. South of the Somme French troops stormed and captured the entire first line trench between Berleux and Soyecourt.

The advance north of the Somme further straightened the French line to conform to the recent British advance. The attack south of the Somme was another aim in the campaign to clear the Germans from the bend of the Somme.

On the Verdun front, the French scored a notable success in last night's fighting, capturing a strongly fortified German work south of Fleury, northeast of Verdun and taking 150 prisoners. Another French detachment made further progress west of Thiaumont in the same region.

The Germans made an unsuccessful attack at 7 o'clock last night on French posts near Bolante, in the Argonne.

Two German aeroplanes were brought down during yesterday's fighting.

Recapture Positions
LONDON, July 20.—The British troops have recaptured in the village of Longueval and Delville wood most of the ground taken by the Germans Tuesday night, according to the British official statement issued Wednesday night.

A little more ground, taken by the Germans in their counter-attack at

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FLORIDA FARMER
SAVES PARTY FROM
FINANCIAL STRESS

Prohibitionists Ready for Nominations with J. Frank Hanly of Indiana Evident Favorite

\$50,000 IN A LUMP

Little Back Home Man, of Same Simple Character as All Attending Meet, Starts the Ball Rolling

BY H. L. RENNICK
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

ST. PAUL, Minn., July 20.—The prohibitionist national convention is going to nominate some one—likely J. Frank Hanly of Indiana—for president today, but a little old man from Johnston, Fla., is its hero.

This little old man sat pretty far back in the convention hall today and talked to his gray haired motherly looking little wife, who shared the honors.

They were Mr. and Mrs. John P. Coffin, who own 12,000 acres of land down in Florida, but act and look just like the rest of the "home folks," who are attending the convention.

This was all they did: The prohibitionists need money to run a campaign. The chairman had called for contributions and they were coming in slowly. A voice back in the hall said something about \$50,000.

"What's that?" the crowd shouted.

Coffin's gray head popped up from the Florida delegation.

"Yes, that's what I said," he said. "Put me down for \$50,000."

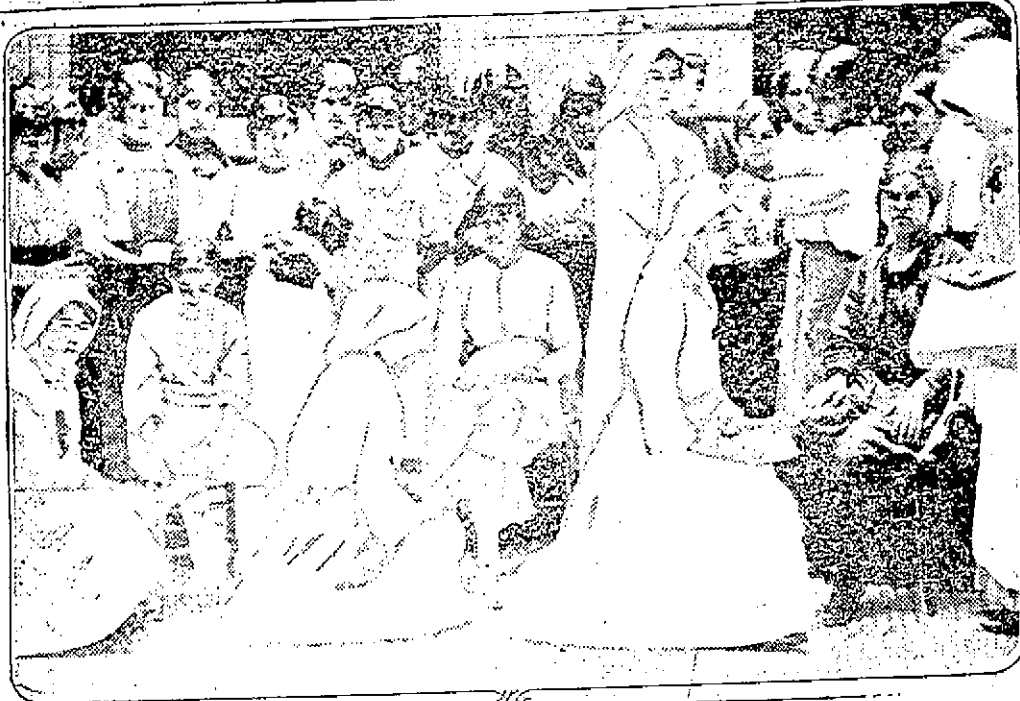
The convention cheered and delegates toppled over their chairs to get to Coffin. They picked him up and carried him to the platform. Mrs. Coffin looked embarrassed, but they picked her up, too, and carried her up there with him.

Coffin's contribution is believed

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A PAGE OF MILITIA AND BORDER INTEREST

PATRIOTIC YOUNG WOMEN OF MEXICO CITY OFFER SERVICES TO RED CROSS FOR AMBULANCE WORK ON THE BATTLEFIELD



Senoritas of Mexico City who have offered their services for ambulance work on the battlefield, being instructed in the art of bandaging.

Not to be outdone by their patriotic American sisters and to prepare for any emergency which may arise, many senoritas of Mexico City have joined the Red Cross and offered their services. They are instructed at stated times in the many branches of field hospital work, of which bandaging is one of the most important.

TELEGRAMS SAY SPARTA BOYS ARE TREATED ROYALLY

Militiamen Visit with Townspeople at One Town Enroute and Boys Are Allowed to Duck in River

SPARTA FAIR OPENS SOON

Preparations for Event Are Biggest in History of Association; Governor Philipp to Speak One Day

SPARTA, Wis., July 20.—(Special.)—Several telegrams received from Captain R. A. Merrill of Company I, tell of the hospitable reception given the boys on their way south. At Elmd, Oklahoma, the Red Cross society had iced tea and sandwiches for them. The train stopped at a river three miles from Wichita, Kan., and the men went in swimming, and at El Reno, Okla., the company visited with the townspeople.

The entire trip was thoroughly enjoyed by all the company. There was no sickness or accident to mention. The people all along the way were very kind to the boys.

The first battalion of the Third Wisconsin stopped forty-five minutes at Eldon, Iowa, and Colonel R. A. Richards allowed the men to march and stretch their limbs. Major John Turner headed the battalion for a

brisk march of a mile with the band headed by Sergeant Otto Brown.

The people gave a hearty welcome to the soldiers and the boys responded with "Wisconsin" yells, and sang "On Wisconsin" after which the band played a few selections to the delight of the citizens.

Fair Begins
Next Tuesday, July 25, begins the big Sparta fair and carnival and from the amount of preparations and arrangements made it would seem that it is going to be "bigger and better than ever."

Sidney N. Smith is secretary and he and the committees in charge have worked unceasingly to secure new and up-to-date attractions. Among the special features booked for the fair are a troupe of contortionists, the swinging ladder act, the cannon ball act, the comedy juggling acts and several others which are new in this part of the state.

There will be ball games, band concerts, public speakers, and best of all a time program of races.

Much improvement has been made on the buildings and grounds and they were never in as good condition as now.

A. W. McElroy of Hamlin, Minn., will start the races in the following program:

2:30 trot, purse \$300.
2:45 trot, purse \$300.
2:55 trot, purse \$300.
3:05 pace, purse \$300.
3:15 pace, purse \$300.
3:25 pace, purse \$300.
3:35 pace, purse \$300.
3:45 pace, purse \$300.
3:55 pace, purse \$300.
4:05 pace, purse \$300.

Three-year-old colt, trot or pace, purse \$100.
The association has offered liberal premiums.

This year there will be something new in the line of night races of all sorts in connection with the night carnival. The grounds will be elec-

tric lighted and in addition, there will be a large revolving searchlight.

The advance man for the E. L. Helms Carnival company was here last week making arrangements for that company to show here at the fair.

Governor E. L. Philipp is expected to speak here, also Hon. Burt Williams, the democratic candidate for governor.

The Melrose Ladies' band of 25 pieces will play.

Local and Personal
Ole Knudson has moved his shoe repairing outfit into the Teasdale building on West Main street, along with Mr. Curtis, dealer in harness goods.

Mrs. Doten and two children of Kendall, who have been visiting Miss Grace White, have returned to their home.

Arthur Crawford and wife of Chicago have been guests of friends in the city for several days. Mr. Crawford is a son of Dr. and Mrs. Crawford, who were residents of Sparta for so many years. He is employed on the Chicago Herald.

Mr. Jensen has moved his music store into the place formerly occupied by the Leffingwell and Harris bowling alley on Oak street.

Mrs. A. A. Kleppen of La Crosse has been a guest of relatives and friends in Sparta and Angelo the past week.

Mrs. Henry Johnson, residing near Cataract, was severely shocked by lightning Saturday morning in the storm which took place about 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Garlock is a patient in St. Mary's hospital, coming from Rockford, for an operation for appendicitis.

D. A. Taylor of Bangor, a graduate of Sparta high school, and a brother of Robert J. Taylor of this

Irish Colonel is Out



COL. LOUIS D. CONLEY
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Just as the Sixty-ninth, the famous Irish regiment of the New York national guard, was entraining for the Mexican border the other day, General Leonard Wood issued an order that Colonel Louis D. Conley and Lieutenant Colonel John J. Phelan should not go. General Wood refused them admission into the federal service because of "physical disability," but he did not state the case more definitely.

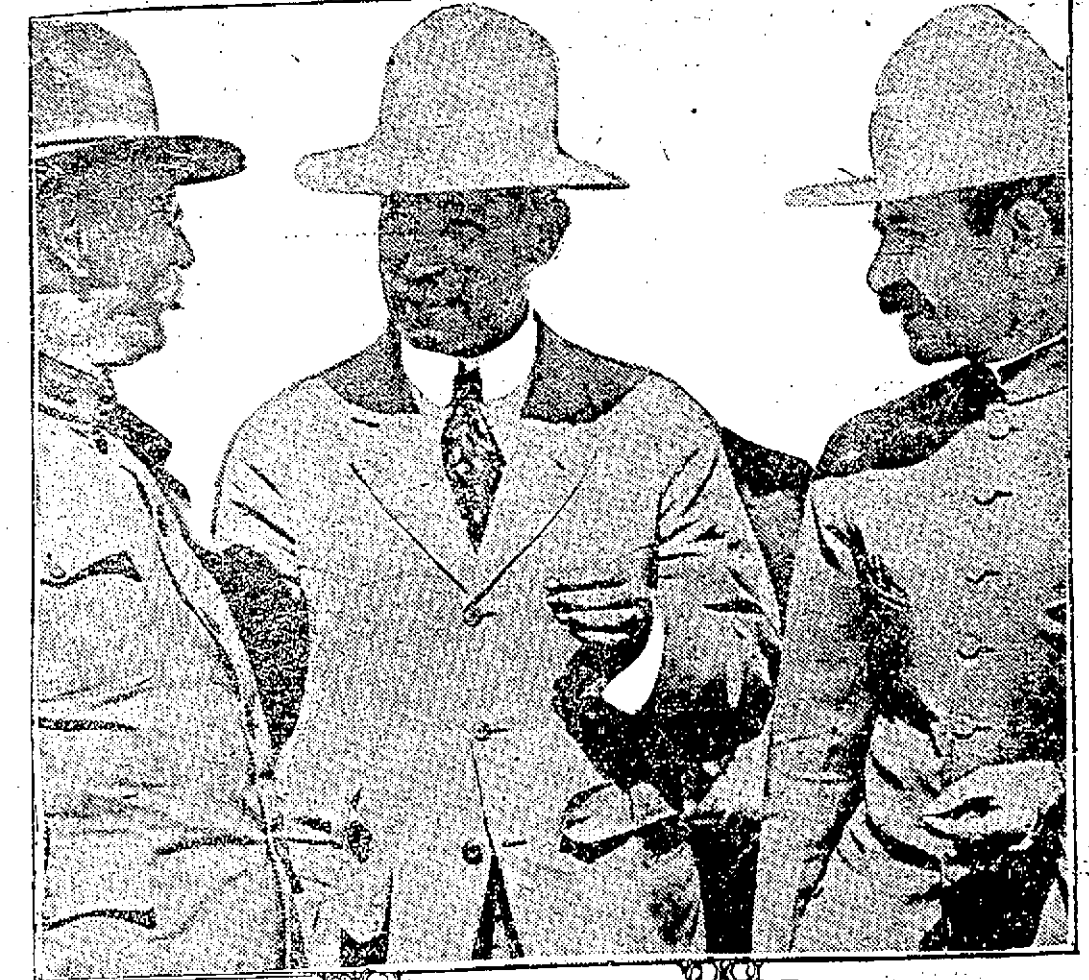
city, has formed a co-partnership with Dr. M. F. Ward of Norwalk for the purpose of being able to attend and engage in clinics at Harvard and Johns Hopkins universities for four or six months while Dr. Ward takes charge of his practice. Dr. Taylor expects to leave about August 15.

Miss Jessie Davis of Superior is a guest at the home of ex-Senator Howard Teasdale.

Mrs. Ray Graves is enjoying a visit from her sister, Mrs. Finch of Cincinnati, Ohio.

Mrs. John Heitman is the owner of the first "double six" touring car ever owned in this city. It is a beauty, a twelve cylinder Pathfinder.

AMERICAN COMMANDER CONFERS WITH MEXICAN LEADERS ON INTERNATIONAL BRIDGE; ALL SMILING WHEN PHOTOGRAPHED



Left to right: General George Bell, Jr., General Garcia and General Gonzales.

General George Bell, Jr., American commander of border troops at El Paso, Texas, recently held a conference with the Mexican leaders, Generals Garcia and Gonzales, on the international bridge between El Paso and Juarez. This picture, taken during the conference, shows the conferees broadly smiling. It is reported that the best of good feeling prevailed. The Mexicans declared their friendship for the United States.

HERBS DIGGING REMUNERATIVE TO UP RIVER PEOPLE

MCGREGOR, Iowa, July 20.—(Special.)—"White man want to raise on the corn and oats and dig all the ginseng. No good," an old Indian recently said in McGregor. Tuesday 117 pounds of medicinal roots were shipped by a drug merchant of this place. During the season of 1916 the same merchant bought 1,100 pounds of roots, paying out about \$5,000 for them. As he is but one of several buyers in and around McGregor, and this section is no more favorable to the growth of drug plants than hundreds of others in the Mississippi river counties where there is still much native timber, some idea of the drug plant industry in Iowa, Wisconsin and Minnesota is given. Figures are interesting particularly at this time when the excessive price of drugs as the result of the war is leading the government and the medicine companies to urge small farmers to give attention to the culture of medicinal plants.

Out of a list of twenty-three drug plants quoted by a St. Louis wholesaler's concern nearly half were na-

tive to the upper Mississippi river region, though in many instances the prices are so low that farmers find it unprofitable to give time to gathering them. Ginseng and golden seal are the best paying and are dug in far larger quantities than any others. The former is now bringing \$8 to \$6.50 a pound. Last year it sold as high as \$3. Golden seal sells for \$4 a pound. Of the other wild drug plants lady slipper, wild ginger, seneca snake root and blood root are bought in largest quantities.

DAILY WEATHER BULLETIN

	Lo.	Hi.	P.
Boston	70	90	0
Charleston	76	92	0
New York	70	88	0
Washington	72	86	0.06
Jacksonville	82	88	0
New Orleans	74	88	0
Chicago	76	90	1.12
La Crosse	67	86	0
Madison	74	94	1.40
Memphis	74	90	0.12
Milwaukee	70	88	0.46
Bismarck	58	80	0
Huron	58	80	0
Kansas City	70	92	0
St. Paul	54	82	0
Boise	52	82	0
Denver	56	80	0
Helena	56	78	0
Minneapolis	54	88	0
Portland, Ore.	60	78	0

MCGOVERN TAKES STUMP NEXT WEEK AT OSHKOSH

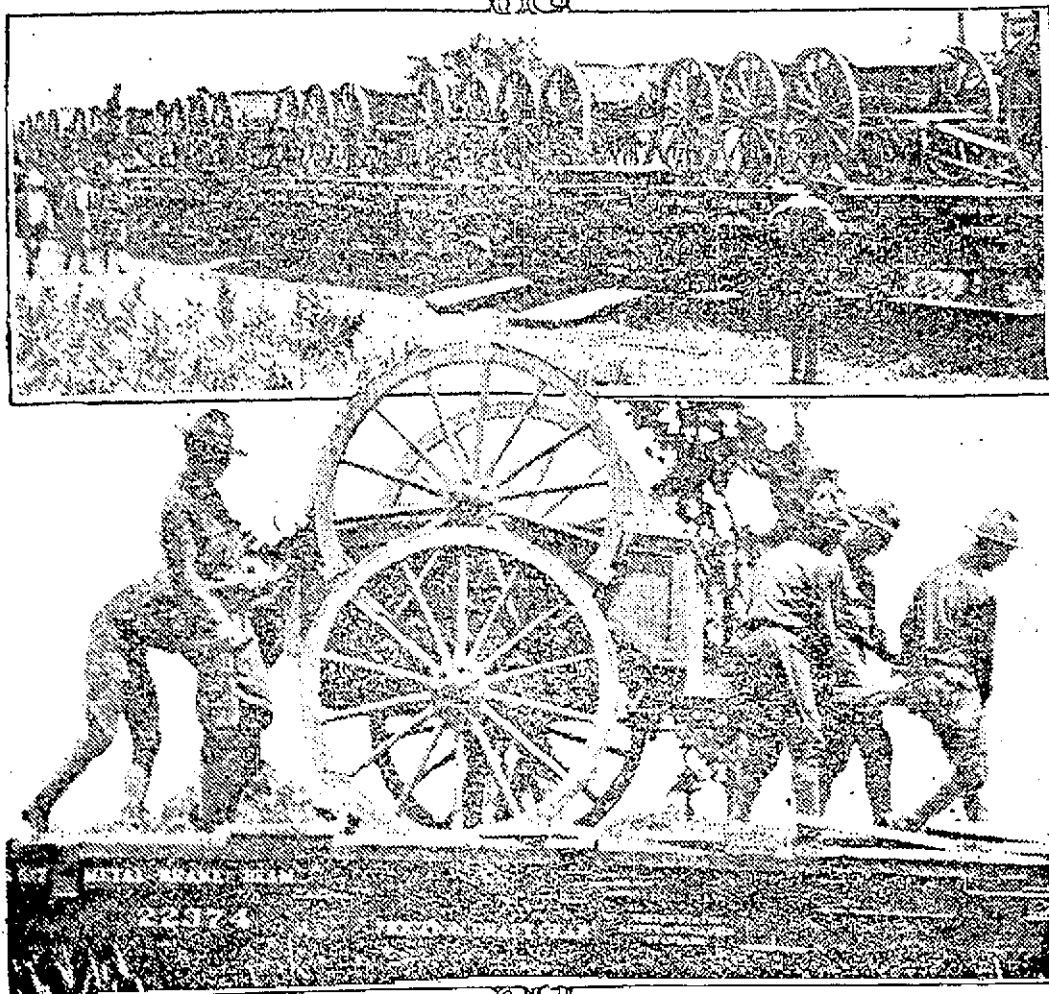
MILWAUKEE, Wis., July 20.—Francis E. McGovern, candidate for the republican nomination for governor, will open his speaking campaign next Wednesday, July 26, at Oshkosh. He will speak in the evening in the Armory hall in that city. Mr. McGovern is now working on his opening speech, which he plans to make a comprehensive discussion of the entire state situation and covering all issues. What direction he will go from Oshkosh has not been determined by his campaign committee. Ralph Smith, chairman, returned today from a trip through the state and said he was optimistic over the outlook.

Why Women Write Good Stories.

The average woman possesses a greater variety of character, as of wardrobe, than does the man; she can more readily lay aside or suppress some important part of her, and bring some contrasting feature into view. She carries in herself a ready wealth that is more applicable to the story than to painting or to music. Thus it is that in painting and in music she is to be passed by man with ease, but in the story, if at all, with greatest effort.

—George M. Stratton in the Atlantic.

GUNS AS WELL AS SOLDIERS HAVE GONE TO MEXICAN BORDER



Trainload of guns on way to border; loading field piece on flat-car.

Not only soldiers by tens of thousands, but field guns by hundreds have been sent to the Mexican border during the past few weeks. These pictures show some of the guns of the Indiana national guard as the Hoosier boys left Camp Benjamin Harrison, near Indianapolis.

CITY EDITORS OF BADGERS DAILIES MEET AT MADISON

MADISON, Wis., July 20.—The semi-annual meeting of the Wisconsin City Editors' association will be held in this city Saturday and Sunday, July 22 and 23. David Atwood of the Janesville Gazette, and Victor F. Barnett of the Wisconsin State Journal, are in charge of the arrangements. Paul F. Hunter, of the Sheboygan Press, is president of the association, and Louis Torrison, Oshkosh Northwestern, secretary.

It is expected that about fifty city editors of Wisconsin dailies will be in Madison for the meeting. The first business session will be held following the opening banquet at 8 o'clock Saturday night. Fred L. Holmes, veteran correspondent in the state capital for the Associated Press, William W. Powell, former secretary of the board of public affairs and an old newspaperman, and Prof. Willard G. Blayer of the university school of journalism will speak at this meeting. Holmes' talk will be on "The Distribution and Desk Handling of State Capitol News." Powell will take up the possibility of the daily papers in the state issuing a weekly motion picture, depicting interesting happenings in Wisconsin. Prof. Blayer will speak on a general topic of interest to newspapermen.

Sunday morning the delegates will be taken for a long boat ride through the Yahara river, across Lake Monona and Lake Waubesa to the Waubesa Beach hotel, where one of Louis Waldorf's famous chicken dinners will be served. The second and last business meeting will be held at this time. Charles Dean, Associated Press chief in this state, and J. L. O'Sullivan, in the same capacity for the United Press, will take up the most vital problem facing Wisconsin newspapers, that of the proper distribution of state news.

A hole in the pot is worth two on the back of your neck.

BRING GLOOM TO MANY HOOSIERS



Lieut. H. R. Allen (top) and Lieut. John J. Rozz.

These regular army men have caused much gloom to Indiana national guardsmen. They are conducting physical examinations of the Hoosier guardsmen being taken into the United States army at Fort Benjamin Harrison and have found many unfit.

Here's Some of Mexican Army the Boys May Face



Carranza's soldiers have trained many of their women to shoot, and this photograph shows three young women who have been taking revolver lessons for months. Maybe if Carranza is hard pressed—and he is very likely to be if the national guardsmen cross the border—some of these girls will face American troops.

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JUNE	9602
DAILY AVERAGE	
1—Thur	9,216,16—Fri
2—Fri	9,202,17—Sat
3—Sat	9,275,18—Sunday
4—Sunday	10,056
5—Mon	9,326,20—Tues
6—Tues	9,920,21—Wed
7—Wed	9,250,22—Thur
8—Thur	9,602,23—Fri
9—Fri	9,380,24—Sat
10—Sat	9,250,25—Sunday
11—Sunday	9,457
12—Mon	9,222,27—Tues
13—Tues	9,242,28—Wed
14—Wed	9,420,29—Thur
15—Thur	9,400,30—Fri
Total	242,640
Average	9,602
Circulation July 1	9,755

Frank H. Burgess
I, Frank H. Burgess, business man-
ager of the La Crosse Tribune, do so-
lemnly swear that the actual number
of copies of the above named, and
circulated during the month of
June, 1916, was as above stated.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this first day of July, 1916.
James Thompson
Notary Public.

WEATHER

U.S. Weather Bureau
Sunrise tomorrow, 4:42 a. m.
Sunset tomorrow, 7:41 p. m.
Yesterday's Temperatures
High, 80; low, 67; precipitation, 0.
Forecasts

For Wisconsin: Fair tonight and
Friday. Cooler tonight in extreme
east portion. Slightly warmer Fri-
day.
For Minnesota: Fair tonight and
Friday. Warmer Friday in south por-
tion.
For Iowa: Fair tonight and Fri-
day. Somewhat warmer Friday.

Weather Conditions
Fair weather prevails this morn-
ing at nearly all stations, the ex-
ceptions being Milwaukee and Mont-
gomery, where showers continue.
Showers have occurred during the
past 24 hours from the west gulf
states to the upper lake region.
The temperature is generally low-
er from Kansas and Nebraska to the
upper lakes and slightly higher in the
Rocky mountain region. Maxi-
mum temperatures of 104 and 102
were reported yesterday from Okla-
homa and northern Texas.
Moderate depressions are central
north of Montana and in the south-
west while an area of relatively high
pressure overlies the country from
the north Pacific coast to the plains
states.
These pressure conditions indicate
fair weather in this section for to-
night and Friday with somewhat
higher temperature Friday.

DAILY RIVER BULLETIN

	Flood	Stage	Height	Change
St. Paul	14	10.0	-0.2
Reeds Landing	12	6.3	-0.2
La Crosse	12	8.4	-0.4
St. Louis	30	18.1	-0.7
New Orleans	18	11.6	-0.3

River Forecast
St. Paul to La Crosse: The river
will continue falling in the lower and
central sections during the next 48
hours.

The Searchlight

TRANS-ATLANTIC AIRSHIPS
The great hydro-aeroplane ordered
by Rodman Wanamaker for a flight
across the Atlantic ocean is almost
completed and the details of the
greatest flight yet attempted in the
world are now being arranged. The
machine is the largest yet built. It
contains six 12-cylinder motors of
300 horsepower each. It can attain
a speed of 100 miles an hour and
carry six passengers. Its design in-
cludes a number of patents not found
in any other machine, and it is con-
fidently believed by those who are
familiar with it that unless some un-
foreseen condition develops this hy-
dro-aeroplane is fully capable of
completing the passage in thirty
hours.

Pay as You Go
To live within one's income is the
secret of prosperity. Happiness is
the heritage of the one who adheres
to this rule, and a contented mind
and growing riches come to him who
buys only what he can pay for.

Some men require hot weather to
bring out the best that is in them.
But ma loafer panty after the
shade thinking he will do
something next fall.



THE SERVICE OF DR. D. C. JONES

The prospect that Dr. D. C. Jones, pastor of the First Pres-
byterian church, may leave La Crosse to accept the most coveted
Presbyterian pastorate in the state, at Neenah, presages an event
involving serious loss, not only to the church he may quit, but
to the city at large.

Members of his church feel that La Crosse has had no more
inspiring church experience than that represented by the steward-
ship of Dr. Jones. Eight years ago he found here a church in
poor estate, its congregation small and discouraged, its wealthier
parishioners mostly removed by death or gone to new fields, its
finances inadequate and haphazard, its mission work neglected—
in a word, a church with little devotion and less "pep".

It was a great task—that which Dr. Jones undertook, but he
did not hesitate, nor did he complain of the slow, up-hill progress.
A believer in fundamentals, he preached the Gospel as the founda-
tion for his task—no "isms", no modern sensations, but always
the Word of God, to make it a simple rule of life.

His message took hold upon men. It reached out for new
converts. Slowly, but surely it told. The church grew and prospered.
Money came more easily and from a wider following.
Mission work was resumed on a larger scale. Little clubs and
societies to deal with various interests and phases of church
work were organized. The Sunday school attracted large attend-
ance. Debts were paid and improvement made and now, as he
contemplates leaving La Crosse for a new field, Dr. Jones sees in
hand the means for paying off the last dollar of church in-
cumbrance, for making needed extensions in the church prop-
erty and for conducting the business of the church with cash for
every transaction. He is surrounded by a congregation that has
given its collective heart to the work, in numbers double that
which was enrolled upon the day of his arrival.

However, it is not more his able and convincing preaching,
not more his achievement in organization and finance, than his
personal ministry that makes Dr. Jones great. His own convic-
tion carries weight with others. His daily exemplification of the
things he expounds builds for co-operation. He is a pastor of love.
He has spent little time in the homes of his better-to-do people,
but has been a constant visitor among the less fortunate. He
understands and sympathizes with men and women who work
with their hands, and enjoys their confidence. He has walked
where the Master walked, where need and opportunity were
greatest.

Dr. Jones has given eight of his best years to La Crosse and
they have been years rich in progress. His next move will prob-
ably be to that place in which his labors will be rounded out in
the golden years mellowed by meditation and experience. Not
often does there come to a pastor an offer so alluring as that
represented by the call of the banner church of Wisconsin, a call
that represents a field of unusual service for himself and excep-
tional opportunity for his little family. Earnest though be the
wish that he may stay, if Dr. Jones elects to go, he will be a
selfish parishioner who protests. Rather is it the Christian's part
to "God speed" the "good and faithful servant". And as his
friends banish selfish regrets and rejoice in the better fortune of
this man and his good wife, it will be a consoling thought that, no
matter where he may be, the memory of Rev. D. C. Jones will
always be a ministering influence in La Crosse.

"LET THE WOMEN DO THE (IR) WORK"

We believe our contemporary's suggestion that the women
of La Crosse be made an active factor in the Chamber of Com-
merce is sound. Women have clearer vision and closer under-
standing in relation to some phases of life than have men, and
along chosen lines they are most efficient workers. That their
availability is not more general is due to no lack of qualifications,
but to limitations which custom has placed upon their oppor-
tunity. We have here a city of men and women, which we desire
to make prosperous and livable for men and women alike, and
for the men to undertake the task without the co-operation of the
women is to deprive the former of valuable assistance and the
latter of just opportunity.

However, we can not agree that the activity of women in the
Chamber of Commerce should be limited to a bureau bearing a
sex name. Their co-operation is needed in the bureau that now
exists, and particularly in the Civic bureau could they wield use-
ful influence. True, they have been invited in a general way to
take memberships, but we believe that were the privilege and
opportunity of membership pressed upon them with the vigor
of the canvass among men, a large and potential group of earnest
women would associate themselves with the Chamber.

UNITED STATES ABOUT TO HAVE MORE GOLD THAN ANY THREE OTHERS

WASHINGTON, July 20.—Treasury officials said that when all of the \$100,000,000 gold coming from Great Britain to the United States has arrived the total of gold coin and bullion in this country will equal the total of any other three countries in the world.
The present shipments are part of a necessary trade balance settlement.
July 1 last the general stock of gold in the United States was \$2,439,921,932—more than the total in any other two countries.
The treasury department prepared for the United Press recapitulation of gold reserve held by foreign governments, to show the enormous surplus held in gold coin and bullion by the United States treasury.
The gold holdings (exclusive of that in circulation) of England, France, Spain, The Netherlands, Switzerland, Sweden, Italy, Russian Denmark, Germany and Norway totals \$3,387,549,706 against the \$2,439,921,932 held by the United States. Of the amount held abroad, England has \$300,000,503; France, \$279,933,021; Russia, \$749,421,534;

Germany, \$899,781,526, and Italy, \$223,824,934.
"The two billion and over held by the United States includes gold in circulation."

RAILROADERS APPEAL FOR CLAYTON ACT STAY

WASHINGTON, July 20.—Appeal for delay in enforcing provisions of the Clayton-anti-trust act, which they say would bring about vast confusion and great hardship in railroad operations was made to President Wilson Wednesday by representatives of the big railroads of the country. Frank Trumbull, chairman of the railroad executives advisory committee; President Robert S. Lovett of the Union Pacific and Counselor A. P. Thom of the Southern railway conferred with the president for half an hour. They asked that section ten of the act, covering interlocking directors and governing the financing of supplies by railroads, purchasing, etc., be suspended for two years.
Still another example of an optimist is the man whose straw hat never feels just right till it has been rained on a time or two.

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Quips and Cranks and Wanton Wiles

Out of the Mouths of Kids
Willie came to his mother with an expression of anxiety on his face. "Ma," he asked, "if a poor, hungry little boy was to come to the back door and ask for something to eat, would you give him that piece of pie that was left over from dinner?"
"Yes, Willie, of course I would," said the mother.
Willie's face cleared.
"All right," he said, "just wait a minute till I run round to the back door."

Take All or None
Full of loverlike chivalry, the young fellow sought out the father of his adored one.
"Sir," said he in a tense voice, "I have come to ask you for one of your greatest treasures—something which will illumine my whole life. Mr. Jumps, I ask the hand of your daughter in marriage."
Old Jumps, a retired farmer, was a bluff old chap. He looked the suitor up and down and then asked gruffly: "Her hand—only her hand? Why don't ee ask for the gal?"

A Lawyer's Problem
A young man in Chicago had lost his aunt. He seemed so dejected thereby that a friend aware of the true situation, asked:
"Why do you look so sad? You never appeared to care much for the old lady."
"I didn't," said the youth, dolefully, "but I was the means of keep-
ing her in a lunatic asylum for a number of years. She has left me all her money, and now I have got to prove that she was of sound mind."

A Hint
"When I don't want a man's at-
tentions and he asks me where I live, I say in the suburbs."
"Ha, ha! Excellent, but where do you really live, Miss Brown?"
"In the suburbs, Mr. Short."—At-
lanta Journal.

Summer Sport
Are you engaged to Will Traver-
se? queried Marjorie.
"Yes, are you?" returned her
friend, with rapt interest.

How Many
"I would love if I dared," said the
entranced young man to the fair tele-
phone operator, "to press some kisses
upon those ruby lips."
"Yes," said she abstractedly.
"Never, please."

Alas! It's funny how a "soulmate"
never seems to happen around until
you are irrevocably married to some-
body else.

THE TRIBUNE'S DAILY TRAVELETTE

(By Nilsab)

MOSUL
Mosul is one of the few places left
today where Romance in her old
familiar garb still walks abroad by
day. According to the poets of
course, Romance has only changed
her clothing; she is still to be found
everywhere, a golden thread woven
through warp and woof of the drab
fabric of modern civilization. But in
Mosul she is doing business in the
good old revolver-and-stiletto fash-
ion of the old west and medieval
Italy. You do not have to be clair-
voyant to see Romance in Mosul.
The Turkish authorities, who are
realists by temperament and training
have a harsher name for the quality.
They say that Mosul is the most law-
less spot in all their lawless Asiatic
dominions, given over irredeemably
to the evils of dissension and dis-
order. Men are still shot there in
broad daylight, officials keep their
eyes open or shut according to the
size of the bribe which dazzles their
sight—and they are easily dazzled in
this particular fashion, though their
vision is strong enough for most pur-
poses.

Like many of the cities in this re-
gion, the discarded cradle of civiliza-
tion, modern Mosul is built upon
ruins and among them. The ancient
walls are being depleted day by day
by building stone, and the silence of
night is occasionally broken by the
crash of a toppling tower that no-
body takes the trouble to shore up.
The old city must have been impos-
ing and beautiful; the new one is
neither. It is hot, dusty, unclean and
crowded; and it does not care.
There are no trees in the plain
about and hence there is very little
wood. The city is built of stone cov-
ered with stucco. There is a soft rock
peculiar to the neighborhood which
is freely employed in building as it
can be easily worked into shape, but
does not last, so that new ruins are
continually complicating the old.
The people of Mosul are Arabs and
Moslems for the most part, though
there are a few thousand Christians
who remain from an earlier period,
and a few thousand Jews. The three
races have gravitated toward a
common standard in appearance and
habits, though each still retains its
own religion. One result of this is
particularly welcome to the average
native of Mosul. Friday is the Mos-
lem Sabbath, on Saturday the Jews
do no work, and Sunday is observed
by the Christians. So in effect there
are three holidays every week.

**PRUDENCE
OF THE
PARSONAGE**
By ETHEL HUESTON
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"It is the will of Skull and Cross-
bones that this luscious fruit be
turned over to them immediately."
Constance faltered, held it out,
drew it back.
"If I do, I suppose you'll give me
part of it, anyhow," she said, and
her eyes glittered.
"Not so, damsel," said Carol omi-
nously. "The Ancient and Honor-
able takes—it never gives."
For a moment Constance wavered.
Then she flamed into sudden anger.
"I won't do it, so there," she cried.
"I think you're mean selfish pigs,
that's what I think! Taking my
very own pear, and—but you won't
get it! I don't care if I never get
a bite of this pear. I can tell you
that!" And Constance rushed up
stairs and slammed a door. A few
seconds later the door opened again,
and her cherished badge was flung
down upon Skull and Crossbones.
"There's your old black stelling
smeared up with red ink!" she yel-
led at them wildly. And again the
door slammed.

Carol picked up the insulted
badge, and studied it thoughtfully.
Lark spoke first.
"It occurs to me, Fair Gwendolyn,
that we would do well to keep this
little scene from the ears of the just
and righteous Prudence."

"Right, as always, Brave Knight,"
was the womanly retort. And the
twins betook themselves to the hay-
mow in thoughtful mood.

A little later, when Prudence and
Fair came laughing into the down-
stairs hall, a white-faced Constance
met them. "Look," she said, hold-
ing out a pear, divided into three
parts, just like Gaul. "Mr. Arnold
gave me this pear, and here's a
place for each of you."

The girls thanked her warmly, but
Prudence paused with her third al-
most touching her lips. "How about
the twins?" she inquired. "Aren't
they at home? Won't they break
your pledge if you leave them out?"
Constance looked up sternly. "I
offered them some half an hour ago,
and they refused it," she said. "And
they have already put me out of the
society!" There was tragedy in the
childish face, and Prudence put her
arms around this baby-sister.

"Tell Prue all about it, Connie,"
she said. But Constance shook her
head.
"It can't be talked about. Go on
and eat your pear. It is good."

"Was it all right?" questioned
Prudence. "Did the twins play fair,
Connie?"

"Yes, said Constance. "It was all
right. Don't talk about it."
But in two days Constance repen-
ted of her rashness. In three days she
was pleading for forgiveness. And in
four days she was starting in on an-
other two weeks of penitence, and the
desecrated ribbon with its drop of
blood reposed once more on her
ambitious breast.

For three days her service was
sore indeed, for the twins informed
her, with sympathy, that she must
be punished for insubordination.
"But after that, we'll be just as easy
on you as anything, Connie," they
told her. "So don't you get sore now.
In three days, we'll let up on you."

A week passed, ten days, and
twelve. Then came a golden October
afternoon when the twins sat in the
haymow looking out upon a mellow
world. Constance was in the yard,
reading a fairy story. The situation
was a tense one, for the twins were
hungry, and time was heavy on their
hands.

"The apple trees in Avory's or-
chard are just loaded," said Lark
aimlessly. "And there are lots on the
ground, too. I saw them when I was
out in the field this morning."

"Some of the trees are close to our
fence, too," said Carol slowly. "Very
close."
Lark glanced up with sudden in-
terest. "That's so," she said. "And
the wires on the fence are awfully
loose."

Carol gazed down into the yard
where Constance was absorbed in her
book. "Constance oughtn't to read as
much as she does," she argued. "It's
so bad for the eyes."
"Yes, and what's more, she's been
getting off too easy the last few days.
The time is nearly up."

"That's so," said Lark. "Let's call
her up here." This was done at once,
and the unfortunate Constance walked
reluctantly toward the barn, her
fascinating story still in her hand.

"You see, they've got more apples
than they need, and those on the
ground are just going to waste," con-
tinued Carol, pending the arrival of
the little pledge. "The chickens are
pecking at them, and ruining them."
"It's criminal destruction, that's
what it is," declared Lark.

Connie stood before them respect-
fully, as they had instructed her to
stand. The twins hesitated, each ac-
tually hoping the other would voice
the order. But Lark spoke first.
"Damsel," she said, "it is the will
of Skull and Crossbones that you hic
yean—to yonder orchard—Avery's, I
mean—and bring hither some of the
golden apples basking in the sun."

"What!" ejaculated Connie, start-
led by her respect.
Carol frowned.
Connie hastened to modify her
tone. "Did they say you might have
them?" she inquired politely.
"That concerns thee not, 'tis for
these only to render obedience to the
orders of the Society. Go out through
our field and sneak under the fence
where the wires are loose, and hur-
ry back. We're awfully hungry. Hur-

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trees are near the fence. There isn't
any danger."
"But it's stealing," objected Con-
nie. "What will Prudence—"
"Damsel!" And Connie turned to
obey with despair in her heart.
"Bring twelve," Carol called after
her, "that'll be four apples. And
hurry, Connie. And see they don't
catch you while you're about it."

After she had gone, the twins lay
back thoughtfully on the hay and
stared at the cobwebby roof above
them.
"It's a good thing Prudence and
Fair are downtown," said Lark
sagely.
"Yes, or we'd catch it," assented
Carol. "But I don't see why! The
Averys have too many apples, and
they are going to waste. I'm sure
Mrs. Avery would rather let us
have them than the chickens."

They lay in silence for a while.
Something was hurting them, but
whether it was their fear of the
wrath of Prudence, or the twinges of
tender consciences—who can say?
"She's an uncharitably long time
about it," exclaimed Lark, at last.
"Do you suppose they caught her?"

This was an awful thought, and
the girls were temporarily suffoca-
ted. But they heard the barn door
swing beneath them, and sighed
with relief. It was Connie! She
climbed the ladder skillfully, and
poured her golden treasure before
the arch thieves, Skull and Cross-
bones.

There were eight big tempting
apples.
"Hum! Eight," said Carol stern-
ly. "I said twelve."
"Yes, but I was afraid some one
was coming. I heard such a noise
through the grapevines, so I got
what I could and ran for it. There's
three apples for you, and two for
me," said Connie, sitting down so-
cially beside them on the hay.

But Carol rose. "Damsel, begone,"
she ordered. "When Skull and
Crossbones feast, thou canst not yet
share the festive board. Rise thee,
and speed!"
Connie rose, and walked soberly
toward the ladder. But before she
disappeared she fixed this parting
shot. "I don't want any of them.
Stolen apples don't taste very good,
I reckon."

Carol and Lark had the grace to
flush a little at this, but however,
the stolen apples tasted, the twins
had no difficulty in disposing of
them. Then fell almost beyond the
point of comfort, they slid down the
hay-chutes, went out the back way,
climbed over the chicken coops—
not because it was necessary, but be-

cause it was their idea of amuse-
ment—and went for a walk in the
field. At the farthest corner of the
field they crawled under the fence,
cut through a neighboring potato
patch, and came out on the street.
Then they walked respectfully down
the sidewalk, turned the corner, and
came quietly in through the front
door of the parsonage.

Prudence was in the kitchen pre-
paring the evening meal. Fairy was
in the sitting room, busy with her
books. The twins set the table con-
scientiously, flung the wood-box, and
in every way labored irreproachably.
But Prudence had no word of praise
for them that evening. She hardly
seemed to know they were about the
place. She went about her work
with a pale face, and never a smile
to be seen.

Supper was nearly ready when
Connie sauntered in from the barn.
After leaving the haymow, she had
found a cozy corner in the corn-
crib, with two heavy lap robes dis-
carded by the twins in their flight
from wolves, and had settled down
there to finish her story. As she
stepped into the kitchen, Prudence
turned to her with such a sorry, re-
proachful gaze that Connie was
frightened.

"Are you sick, Prue?" she gasped.
Prudence did not answer. She
went to the door and called Fairy.
"Finish getting supper, will you,
Fairy? And when you are all ready,
you and the twins go right on eat-
ing. Don't wait for father—he isn't
coming home until evening. Come
up-stairs with me, Connie; I want
to talk to you."

Connie followed her sister soberly,
and the twins questioned at each
other startled and frowning looks.
The three girls were at the table
when Prudence came into the din-
ing-room alone. She fixed a tray-
supper quietly and carried it off up-
stairs. Then she came back and sat
down by the table. But her face
bore marks of tears, and she had no
appetite. The twins had felt small
liking for their food before, now
each mouthful seemed to choke
them. But they dared not ask a
question. They were devoutly thank-
ful when Fairy finally voiced their
interest.

"What is the matter? Has Con-
nie been in mischief?"
"It's worse than that," faltered
Prudence, tears rushing to her eyes
again.
"Why, Prudence! What in the
world has she done?"
(To Be Continued)

NEWS NOTES MOVIELAND

Pearl White is writing a novel
which is to be pretty much a story
of her own life.
Her life, if one may judge by the
glimpses she gives of it in a recent
interview, has been picturesque
enough to make an interesting au-
tobiography.

She was one of ten children at
Sedalia, Missouri.
Her father was Irish and her
mother Italian.
And the family was poor.

She was selling newspapers on the
street of her home village when
along came an itinerant showman,
called Pearl White a career began
little Eva in a one-blooded and com-
pany playing "Uncle Tom's Cabin."

Later she was in a circus, and still
later was back on the stage.
She began her movie career when
that art was in its very infancy. The
studio in which her first pictures
were photographed was over a livery
stable.

Miss White's fame was won in
thrillers, for which her circus experi-
ence had fitted her. She was the star
of the "Perils of Pauline" and "Ex-
ploits of Elaine" and more recently
has been featured in "The Iron
Claw."

Lula Warrenton, one of the best-
known character women in the film
business, has been made a director
at the Universal, where she will pro-
duce pictures intended especially for
children. She is now at work with
her juvenile company and things are
coming along nicely.

Mary Garden has at last fallen to
the lure of the maza in the merry
motion picture field and has been
engaged by the Fox company to do
a picture or so. With the entry of
famous grand opera stars in pictures,
the price of "vampires" is steadily
going up.

Raymond Wells has been engaged
by the Universal to direct little Lena
Baskette, the child actress, in a se-
ries of Egyptian productions. Mr.
Wells gathered half a county full of
lunatics when he directed the pro-
duction of "Julius Caesar" for the
Actors' Fund in Hollywood.



Pearl White.

a new series of comedies to be made
by the Metro company. The new
series will follow the policy that has
made a success of a similar series
by the same producers, featuring
Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Drew.
Miss Zena Keefe, movie beauty, is
also an entomologist. She caught
three butterflies for her collection in
her first day at the Fox studios at
Grantwood, N. J. Also two beetles
and a grasshopper.
Billie Burke is devoting herself to
the cultivation of phlox at her sum-
mer home, Hastings-on-the-Hudson.
Anna Little is soon to be seen
in a western serial. She will get
opportunity for hard riding.



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RUSHFORD GRAIN REVIVING AFTER STORM FLAILING

Vinegar Hill Man Suffers Heavy Loss in Storm; Fire Destroys Barn and Cattle and Large Amount of Hay

RUSHFORD, Minn., July 20.—(Special.)—The grain in this section of the country is resuming its normal condition, following the severe flailing it received during the hard storm of last Saturday night. Garden truck was also badly twisted, but the greatest injury was done to oats, corn and the like crops which were so badly beaten down that it was at first feared much damage was done. The severe heat of the present has been just what corn has needed and the haymakers have been rejoicing over the dry weather, likewise that the damage to crops is much less than at first believed.

Big Storm Damage
Bert Morrison of Vinegar Hill suffered a severe loss in the Saturday night's storm. His large barn, together with nine calves and twenty-five loads of hay, was totally destroyed by fire after being struck by lightning. The property was insured for but part of the loss sustained.

Local and Personal
A special Great Northern coach brought to this city last Monday evening William Robertson and family, who have been living at their summer home at Place, Canada, since June. Mr. Robertson, who suffered a stroke of paralysis about two weeks ago, was able to make the trip without much discomfort, but his condition is such as to cause grave apprehension upon the part of relatives and friends. He has been able to sit out upon the home-lawn in an easy chair during the extreme heat of the past few days and is able to converse a trifle with his family, but the latter with difficulty. Those who accompanied him home to Rushford were his wife and three daughters: Mrs. Charles Simonds and the Misses Bernice and Beth Robertson. Mr. Simonds also came with them, as did Mr. S. Randall, a brother of Mrs. Robertson's. It is very likely that Mrs. Robertson's recovery will require many weeks, if not months, but it is hoped for, eventually.

A jolly party of five Rushford young ladies departed upon last Monday's afternoon train for the shady retreat of Long Lake, Wis., where the father of one young lady has a summer cottage. The fortunate young misses were: Martha Moe, assistant at the Rushford post office; Lizzie Anderson, saleslady at the Bargain basement; Guri Jaastad, bookkeeper and cashier at Jularud's store and also Rosa Knudson and Matie Jularud. Miss Jaastad's father owns the cottage at which they will stay for the two weeks' rest.

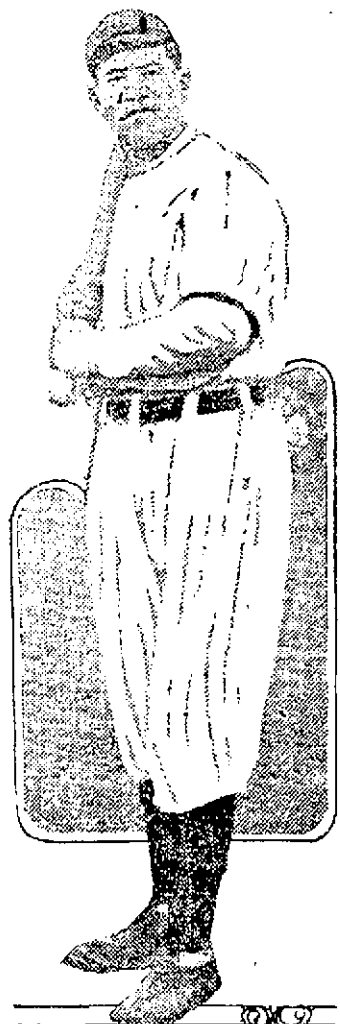
Bertha and Leonard Reissus of this city gave a jolly birthday party to a number of their young friends last Tuesday afternoon at their home in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Borg of this city received word last week from their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Marass, of the vicinity of Moosejaw, Canada, that Mrs. Marass was in very poor health and might be obliged to come to the states for medical aid. A later letter, however, stated that her condition was somewhat improved, but was still far from satisfactory. Miss Lily Berg contemplates going to her sister's home should further word from there necessitate the trip.

Funeral services for the late Hans Rud were held on Sunday from the Rushford Lutheran church. Mr. Rud was known by almost every one in this locality and will be missed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Robertson and two oldest sons, Lewis and James, departed on the last Wednesday's noon train for Fairmount and other points west, where they will make a ten days' stay. The trip had been planned by auto but the rain of Wed-

JIM THORPE'S SPEED BIG HIT IN THE A. A.



Jim Thorpe.

Jim Thorpe, who is playing fast ball for the Milwaukee Brewers, seems to have the stolen base record for the season put away on ice. Though his batting is not high, the Indian has shown so much speed on the bases and in the field that the Cincinnati Reds have been trying to grab him up.

Monday morning made a change in the mode of travel.
Mrs. John Akre, who has been a guest of Preston friends for a time, has returned to her home in Brooklyn.

CHORUS GIRL SHORTAGE IMPRESARIOS FINICKY

NEW YORK, July 20.—Woeful tidings those, to the tired business man!
There's a shortage in chorus girls. Sixteen hundred are needed for Broadway musical comedies now in the making—and so far only 200 have been located who measure up to the standards required by such caterers to the eye or audiences as Ned Wayburn, Chamberlain Brown, Bruce Edwards and the rest of them.

First of all, let it be explained that the 1916 chorus girl will have to be a beauty. Patrons of the girl shows nowadays want more curves, more pep, more voice and more girls than ever before, the experts say. The 1916 type must be slender but not angular, must know how to dance well and must smile. Also she must have good looking bare feet and er—blushing skin on her er—limbs, because tights are no longer au fait.

CARES FOR FAMILY AT 15

NEW YORK, July 20.—Tommy Mulligan, 15, is the eldest of four children left motherless a few weeks ago. He got a job today—and marched his "family" over to police headquarters to care for them until he can save up enough to reclaim it.

Daily Thought.
Many delight more in giving of presents than in paying off debts.—Sir Philip Sydney.

De Soto, Wis.

DE SOTO, Wis., July 20.—(Special.)—Cashier R. P. Loftus of the De Soto State bank, together with his wife and little son, Paul, departed Tuesday in their auto on a vacation trip to Everley, Ia.

A. M. Clark of La Farge has joined his family in a visit with relatives in the village.

Miss E. D. Tenney is spending a few days in La Crosse.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kioffer and two little children, Mrs. N. A. Torgerson and O. D. Copper, Sr., motorized to this village from Sugar Creek Monday for a visit at the editorial home. Mr. and Mrs. Kioffer are from Wausau, Wis., where Mr. Kioffer holds a position as rural mail carrier, from which he has leave of absence on his annual vacation and made the trip from that city to Ferryville in his Ford car.

A recital will be given by the Misses Mary and Margaret Graves of Viroqua on Wednesday, July 26 at the Retreat M. E. church. Mary Graves will give miscellaneous readings and Margaret, dialect. The same program will be given in De Soto July 27.

Mrs. Mary A. Powell of Waldheim, Mo., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. L. C. Hickok and her brothers, John and Frank Adams, of this village.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Collins of Spirit Lake, Ia., arrived Tuesday for a visit with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ringenbach of this village.

John M. Vance of West Prairie sustained a severe paralytic stroke Saturday evening which leaves one entire side helpless. Mr. Vance is well along in years and the chances for recovery are said to be slight.

J. T. Brides and family of the Retreat community left Monday on a vacation trip through the west. They will go first to Rutland, S. D., then to Neuman Grove, Neb., to visit with relatives in each place. They will visit Mr. Brides' sister, Anna, who resides at Charles City, Ia., on their return.

Mrs. Amy Powell of La Crosse visited the forepart of the week with relatives in this village.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. McKearna of Michigan, superintendent of construction with the Hastings Industrial company, who has been here the past month attending to the construction of the De Soto Farmers' creamery, departed last Monday for Fairburn, S. D., where the company is building a creamery.

Mrs. C. F. Page of this village, now enjoys the distinction of being great grandmother, her grandson and granddaughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Cooper of Lynxville, announce the birth of a son.

S. L. Owen, wife and son, Gerald, together with E. W. Owen and family, arrived Monday noon from Oxford Junction, Ia. The former family has come to resume residence in their home here. Mrs. Owen is in very poor health.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Riddell, Chicago artists, arrived here Sunday evening in a car and are guests at the Bay State house. Each summer season the Riddells came here to spend their vacation and pain some of the scenic beauties around De Soto.

Miss Grace Sidle and Louise Ringenbach attended the chautauqua at Prairie du Chien Wednesday.

LONG TRIP AT 85

LORAIN, Ohio, July 20.—Although she is 85, Mrs. M. J. Travis, Los Angeles, made a three thousand mile automobile trip with her son, E. C. Ross, to this city to visit with friends.

Worth While Quotation.

To be protected is—more wonderful than being loved.—Peggy in "Persuasive Peggy."

NORTH SIDE

SPORTS AND DANCES WITH MUSIC TO BE GIVEN AT COPELAND

Ice Cream Social to Be Held During Concert Friday Night for Benefit of the Playground

"Booster night" for Copeland park is scheduled for Friday night. It will be a gala affair.

Preceding a municipal concert to be given at the park by the North Side Military band, a splendid playground program will be held. The girls of the playgrounds will go through exercises taught them by Miss Eunice Gibson, in charge of girls' work at Copeland, besides a series of aesthetic dances.

The evening of entertainment will be opened with athletic events in the boys' division, under the direction of Elmer Wachter, in charge of boys' work at Copeland. A North side team will cross bats with a South side aggregation, while on another part of the field a volley ball game is being played between teams representing Copeland and another playground. Two North side teams will hook up in a game of outdoor basketball.

The park is expected to put on the appearance of a Venetian fete after sunset, when an ice cream social for the benefit of the Copeland playground will be held. Ice cream will be served during the concert, the third of the week in the city.

FREE CONCERTS TO BE GIVEN BY BAND OF EVANS CARNIVAL

Professor Bindt's Royal Italian band, attached to the carnival, which will show on the north side next week, will give free concerts at Copeland park Sunday. The concerts will be held at 2 and 7 o'clock. Concerts will be given daily after Sunday at Fourth and Main streets.

The carnival company is expected in La Crosse Sunday, it being scheduled to open Monday morning.

Nine people have entered the contest for a diamond ring and watch being conducted by the North Side Amusement company, under the auspices of which the carnival is being given.

North Side Briefs

O'Neil Shoe Store, \$6 shoe at \$4.75. Thomas Hurley and daughters, Anna and Margaretta, Clinton, Ill., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Dorsey, 1540 Wood street.

Mr. and Mrs. Sexell and daughter of Little Rock, Ark., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Sorenson, 1437 Wood street. Mrs. Sexell was formerly Miss Irene Sorenson.

Electric fans, A. O. Conly, Miss Ruth Snyder, 1596 Wood street, is a Viroqua caller.

Miss Pauline Webber, Clinton, Ill., is renewing north side acquaintances.

Henry Hurley, Albany, Ill., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. Dorsey, 1540 Wood street.

Miss Alma Snyder, 1506 Wood street, is renewing acquaintances in Rock Island, Ill.

Dr. R. E. Flynn has moved his office to 305-307 State Bank Bldg.

Mrs. E. C. Glasson, 1515 George street, is spending a few days in Prairie du Chien.

Mrs. F. C. Hayes, 1411 George

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street, is renewing acquaintances in Savanna.

Miss Adelaine Preutz, 1408 George street, is a visitor in Morrison, Ill.

Miss Edna Sorenson, who has been spending the past year at Little Rock, Ark., is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Sorenson.

Miss Alice Synam, 216 Caledonia street, will leave soon for Watertown for a visit with relatives and friends.

Miss Emma Nelson, who has been the guest of friends in La Crescent, has returned to her home, 816 St. Cloud street.

Mrs. Edward Preutz, who has been visiting relatives and friends in Seneca, has returned to her home, 1408 George street.

Miss Louise Chase has returned to her home in Des Moines after a visit at the home of Miss Maude Kneessel, 822 Avon street.

Miss H. Smith, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Freyhoff, 1628 Berlin street, has returned to her home in Savanna.

Miss Edna Larson, who has been the guest of friends in St. Paul, has returned to her home, 1517 Charles street.

Mrs. J. Moore, La Crescent, is visiting at the home of Mrs. M. Hickey, 1346 Charles street.

There are two sides to every story—and some have four sides and a ceiling.

L. C. C. ORDER BENEFIT TO SMALLER SHIPPERS

WASHINGTON, July 20.—In a far reaching opinion based on complaint of 100,000 livestock breeders against every interstate rail carrier in the United States—2,378—the interstate commerce commission on Thursday ordered:

Lower minimum weight regulations; higher liability valuations; less than two per cent increases for each fifty per cent of value in excess of standard value; same rates on crated as uncrated animals in less than car load shipments of horses, mules, horned animals, hogs, sheep and goats.

The commission also held shippers are not required to furnish attendants with shipments.

SPLASH TO AVOID SHARKS

LORAIN, Ohio, July 20.—If you kick and splash, making a great fuss in the water, sharks won't get you, says Captain Ed Morey, retired seaman, who has met maniacs in every shark-infested sea.

Mean Question.

She (just kissed by him)—"How dare you?" Papa said he would kill the first man who kissed me." He—"How interesting. And did he do it?"—Judge.

MEAT PLENTIFUL ON BORDER AND IN HOMES OF SOLDIERS

CHICAGO, July 20.—Chicago packers today furnished new proof that Uncle Sam's soldier boys are not only the best fed soldiers in the world on the firing line, but also at home. When the United States troops marches away to do military duty, he gets just as much meat to eat as he got at home—but not more.

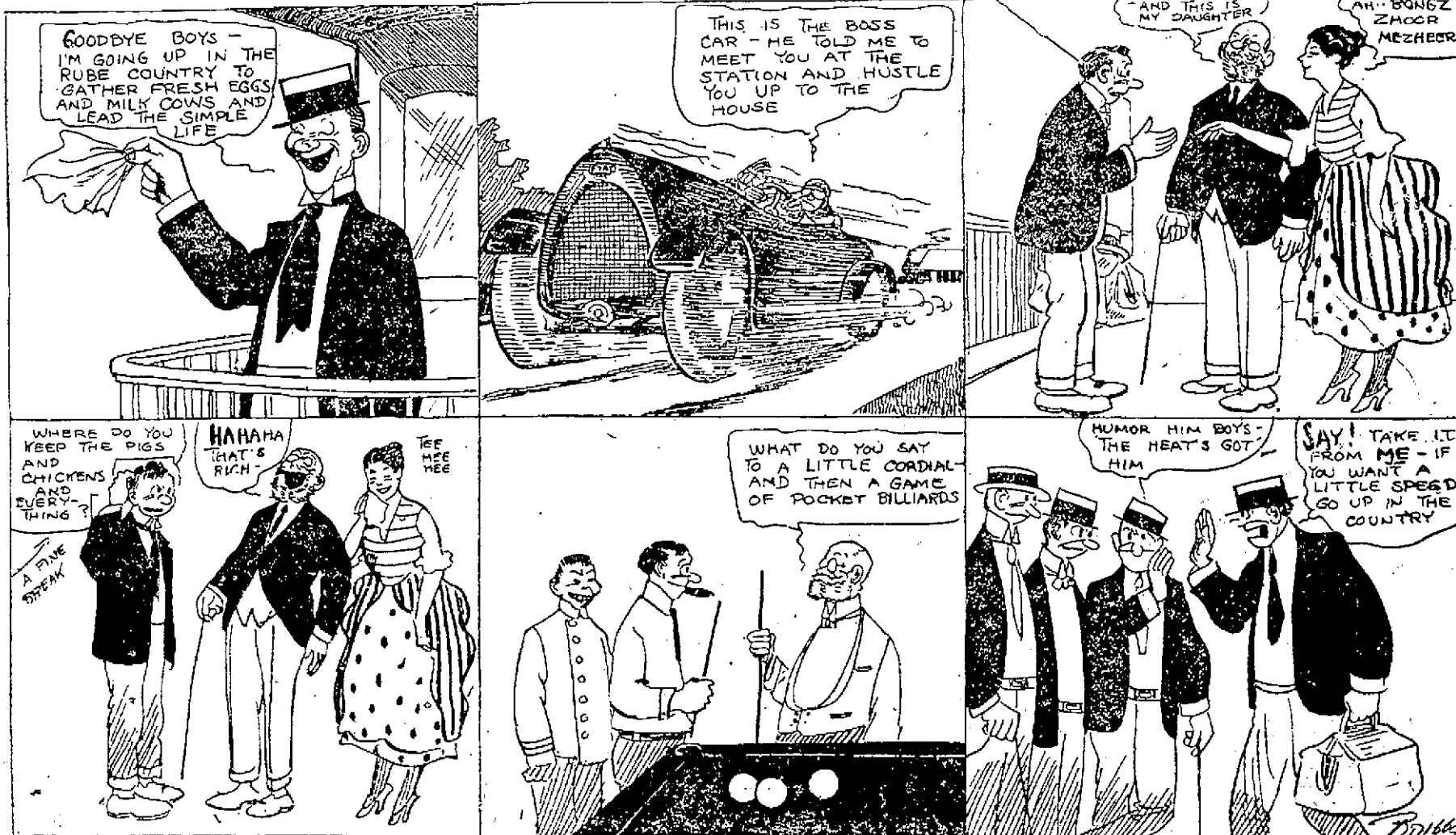
This was the answer packers gave today when asked if any more meat was being consumed, and if the price was any higher now than before the government ordered militia mobilization and began buying large quantities of meats.

"Why should meat prices be any higher? The American soldier gets just as much meat at home as he does in the army. The demand is no greater just because the government is buying meat in large quantities. The American soldier or civilian demands his meat and gets it," one Chicago packer said.

"This is not true of the European soldier. Most of them do not have meat at home. It is an army luxury." Wholesale beef prices have actually decreased in the past month. In the third week of June the wholesale price of beef, the American soldier's principal diet, sold at \$12.75 per hundredweight as compared with \$12.45 now; a decrease of 31 cents per hundred pounds.

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Thursday, July 20, 1916.

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SOCIETY

AT THE COUNTRY CLUB
There were fifty-seven Wednesday
at the Country club. Among the hos-
tesses were Mrs. A. A. Maurer, who
entertained a party of eighteen young
girls in honor of Miss Margaret
Fisher of Chicago; Mrs. D. Cunningham,
who had a table of six; Mrs. H.
L. Colman, a party of more than
twenty.
Tuesday evening Mrs. L. F. Easton
entertained at dinner. Her guests
were Mr. and Mrs. S. W. King, Mr.
and Mrs. Walton Lacey, Mr. and Mrs.
Andrew Lees and Mrs. E. J. Williams
of New York.

SOCIAL BRIEFS
Mrs. Mary West, mother of Mrs.
H. J. Hirschman, left Thursday
morning for Chicago, where she will
stay a few days with her son, then
going to Napoleon, Ohio, to visit her
daughter, Mrs. Loos.
Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Chandler and
baby son, William, of Minneapolis,
arrived Thursday noon from St. Paul
on the Morning Star, and are guests
at the home of Mrs. D. Cunningham.
Mrs. S. W. McCauley, nee Miss
Elizabeth Livingston, of Chicago, is
in the city visiting with friends.
J. W. Curtis of Madison is visiting
at the home of his son.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Story, Du-
buque, are spending their honeymoon
at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. G.
Dubreks, 1511 Avon street.
Miss Margaret Weston and Miss
Dora Keegan of Chicago left Wed-
nesday morning for Lake Pepin,
where they are spending a few days.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wer-
ner, 920 Denton street, a ten pound
baby boy.

**Woman Head of
Agricultural Library**
The head of the greatest agricul-
tural library in the world is a wo-
man, Miss Charibel R. Barnett, librar-
ian in charge of the department of
agriculture library at Washington.
The collection comprises over 133,-
000 books and pamphlets, with an
increase of about 9,000 annually, and
2,300 current periodicals from every
civilized country, dealing with
agricultural subjects.

**National Council of Women
Voters' Fourth Convention**
The fourth national convention of
the National Council of Women Voters
will meet in Cheyenne, Wyo.,
July 26-29. The Council of Women
Voters was organized by Mrs. Emma
Smith De Voe of Tacoma shortly after
Washington came into its suffrage.
Senator James H. Brady, then
governor of Idaho, issued a call to
the governors of the other suffrage
states, four in number at that time,
asking them to appoint a delegate.

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Senator Otto Bosshard left Tues-
day morning for a business trip to
Holmen.

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Miss Emma Chapiwsky, Cashton,
is the guest of La Crosse friends.

Electric fans. A. O. Colby.
Miss Tillie Miller, Rose street, has
returned from a several weeks' visit
in Boston, Minn.

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Mr. and Mrs. Howard Anderson of
Austin, Minn., have returned from a
visit with La Crosse friends.

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nerves and stomach.

DEUTSCHLAND BOATS MENACE TO THE U. S. ALLIES MAINTAIN

British and French Ambassa-
dors Present Views of Govern-
ment Protesting Against De-
cision in the Case

WASHINGTON, July 20.—In ac-
cordance with instructions from their
governments, Sir Cecil Spring-Rice,
the British ambassador, and M. Jus-
serand, the French ambassador, on
Wednesday set forth to the state de-
partment the reasons why the United
States should not regard vessels of
the Deutschland type as merchant-
men.

Reasons Are Set Forth
The reasons are as follows:
That submarine merchantmen cannot
be overhauled and visited and
searched, as is possible in the case
of surface craft, because of their
ability to dive and escape.

That such ships, because of their
submersibility are able to evade mu-
nicipal law with special reference
to customs, quarantine, etc.

That such ships can be transformed
with ease from merchantmen into
warships.

That in case of war between a
great maritime state and a smaller
nation the latter would have the
right to purchase submarine mer-
chantmen, and when the ships arrived
at the port of the purchaser they
could be provided with guns and tor-
pedoes and sail forth to attack the
enemy ships.

That a refusal on the part of a
state to sell submarine merchantmen
could be regarded as an unethical
act.

Show Danger of Precedent
The allies are especially anxious
for the United States to change its
policy in the case of the Deutsch-
land because of their expectation that
the central powers will launch a
large number of these craft and uti-
lize them for the purpose of obtain-
ing supplies of raw materials which
they need in order to continue the
war. They point out, moreover, that
it is of prime importance for the
United States not to set a precedent
which may cause serious concern in
the future.

Should this government blockade
Mexico, that country could buy sub-
marine merchantmen in England,
and the latter would be forced to
sell them or be placed in the position
of supporting the United States. The
submarines would have as little dif-
ficulty in attacking Mexico as the
Deutschland had in coming to Bal-
timore. Once in a Mexican port, the
removal of a few plates and the in-
sertion of torpedo tubes would fit them
for attacks upon battleships and other
vessels engaged in blockading
operations. The same situation would
prevail should Germany or any other
nation become the enemy of the
United States.

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bassadors are identical with those
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Popular Actress Dies Of Too Much Dancing



JOSEPHINE COHAN

Josephine Cohan, sister of George
M. Cohan, and as one of the "Four
Cohans" an actress as popular as
any stage has seen in her time, died
suddenly in New York. She was
stricken with heart disease, which
had been brought on by her strenu-
ous stage dancing for many years.
She had recently returned from
Australia where she made a long
tour with her husband, Fred Niblo.

GRAND DUKE MAKES FURTHER PROGRESS IN THE CAUCASUS

PETROGRAD, July 20.—Russian
troops have occupied the village of
Kugli, it was officially announced to-
day, repulsing all enemy efforts to
advance in the Ougli Arsonovitch
region.

The town of Kugli lies sixty miles
southwest of Bzrtrum. Its capture
marks further progress by the right
wing of the grand duke's army press-
ing back the Turks in the Caucasus.

CITY NEWS TICKER

Marshall Now Instructor
Harry Marshall was Wednesday
appointed playground instructor of
the West Avenue playground by Super-
intendent Gustave Heinemann. Mar-
shall began his duties Thursday mor-
ning. He succeeds George Jackson,
resigned.

Spark Starts Fire
Sparks from the gas retort Thurs-
day morning started a small fire in
the roof of the gas plant at Third
street and the La Crosse river. Cen-
tral station company responded. Ex-
tinguishing the blaze with chemicals.
The damage was small.

Brink Goes West
P. M. Brink, 713 King street, left
Wednesday afternoon for an exten-
ded trip through Yellowstone park.
He will stop for a visit with friends
at Fargo, and will probably be away
from the city for a fortnight.

RUSSIA TO CONSIDER POLAND AID APPEAL

WASHINGTON, July 20.—Ambas-
sador Francis at Petrograd, has
cabled the state department that he
had a conference with Premier Sa-
zanoff July 14 and that the latter
promised to consider this govern-
ment's appeal for a Polish relief
agreement promptly.

This is the first of five countries
appealed to which has been heard
from. Replies from the other four
are expected momentarily.

ONE KILLED IN RIOT

MEMPHIS, Tenn., July 20.—J. C.
Benson, former street car company
employee, is dead from a knife wound
and two others are in a critical con-
dition from gunshot wounds as the
result of a riot shortly after midnight
Thursday.

The police say the riot arose over
labor troubles. A strike of street
railway employees is anticipated with-
in 48 hours.
His Profession
"Will think baby will make a
great politician."
"Why?"
"Well, he crawls out of everything
so easily."

THE HASKIN LETTER

THE OWLS IN COURT
By Frederic J. Haskin

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 20.—
In one of the towers of the old
building of the Smithsonian Institute
here dwells a pair of ordinary barn
owls, which are undoubtedly the two
most important owls in the United
States. They—and their ancestors—
have represented the whole tribe of owls
at the capital of the United States,
and have established the fact that
they are not outlaws but deserve the
protection of their government.

Every day Dr. A. K. Fisher of the
biological survey, the government's
leading authority on owls, ascends
into the dark tower and examines the
daily report of these ambassadorial
birds. Said report is in the form of
little balls of feathers, fur and bones,
which are disgorged by the birds af-
ter they have eaten all the digesti-
ble portions of their prey. This in-
delicate way of feeding has been the
salvation of the owls. Formerly all
hawks and owls were supposed to be
destructive to poultry and game
and songbirds, and were accordingly
killed on sight. For a quarter of a
century the scientists of the Biologi-
cal survey have been working hard
to prove that most species of raptor-
ial birds are really worth money to
man because of the warfare they
wage upon rats, mice, gophers and
other destructive rodents. The steady
patrol of the Hawks by day and the
owls by night is all that presents
these rats and mice of field and or-
chard from literally eating man off
the face of the earth.

Now in order to establish the inno-
cence of most of these birds it has
been necessary to go out and kill
thousands of them, so that the con-
tents of their stomachs should be
examined. Not so the barn owls, how-
ever. They were ready to meet
any peace overtures half way. About
the year 1868, so far as the records
show, the first pair of barn owls set
up housekeeping in this same tower
of the Smithsonian building. Prof.
Spencer F. Baird, a well-known
scientist who was then secretary of
the institute, noted their presence
and mentioned them in a report.
These owls in time perished of old
age, but some of their descendants
remained to occupy the old fam-
ily homestead in the tower, and to
range the parks and grounds of the
capital and the marshes across the
river for their prey. At times there
have been as many as three pairs of
owls meeting in the tower; and it
has never been vacant for nearly
half a century.

About 1890, Prof. Fisher of the
biological survey first became inter-
ested in the Smithsonian owls. When
the building was repaired, he saw to
it that a pane of glass was left out
of the tower window, so that the owls
would not be locked out of their
house. About that time, too, he be-
gan his study of their diet, and has
continued it ever since—just about a
quarter of a century. It is safe to say
that this is the most extended study
of the diet of any bird that has ever
been made.

Needless to say, this long study
has conclusively proved that the
barn owl, or monkey-faced owl, is a
bird of the highest character, and
deserving of man's protection and
friendship. For one thing, it has al-
ways frankly sought both. This is
the same species of owl that is com-
mon in England, and is mentioned in
Gray's Elegy. It has always by pre-
ference made its home on barns and
other buildings, and has spent its life
riding farms and other country
places of vermin.

Dr. Fisher's investigations show
that the Smithsonian owls dine on
injuriously rodents to the extent of to-
tally 96.1 per cent of their total
bill of fare, and that only 3.1 per
cent of their food is made up of
birds. Most of these birds are Eng-
lish sparrows, of which the capital
city has an oversupply at all times.
The owls have been guilty of the
murder of one young rabbit, and
occasionally of larger birds, such as
redwing blackbirds. By far the great-
est part of the prey consists of the
loathsome house rat, the most dan-
gerous and destructive of vermin.

These creatures are all too abundant
about the government buildings,
and especially about the zoolo-
gical park, where they are attract-
ed by the food for the animals. The
owls are their worst enemies, as cats
are rather scarce in the vicinity.

In this matter of owls and hawks,
the government scientists want to
brought to the attention of all coun-
try dwellers that there are just
three species in the eastern United
States which must be destroyed—
the cooper hawk, the sharpshinned
hawk and the great horned owl.
Learn to identify these three species
and you have your bird enemies
spotted. There are two other spe-
cies that are destructive but too rare
to be of much consequence. These are
the duck hawk and the goshawk.
All of the other hawks and owls are
necessary for the protection of crops.
Without them the balance of nature
would be seriously disturbed and
the gophers that plough your lawn
into long ridges the field mice that
build nests in the corn shocks the
rats that infest your barn and kill
your young chickens and all the rest
of the tribe of four-footed vermin
would fairly overrun the earth—
even as the insects are overrunning
it now as a result of the destruction
of other birds.

Washington is one city where all
birds find a welcome. It is a city
of naturalists for in addition to
those in the government service,
there are a number of others that
make their homes here. Numerous
biological and ornithological organi-
zations regularly meet here. There
is probably not another city in the
United States where birds are the
object of so much interest and solici-
tude. One devoted ornithologist
identified 234 species in the Dis-
trict of Columbia, and about one-
third of the number nest here. Chevy
Chase, Maryland, a suburb of the
capital situated right on the district



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Girls of Fifteen Save Men From Drowning



DOROTHY BECKER — ALICE MILLER

Dorothy Becker and Alice Miller,
both aged fifteen, of Elizabeth, N. J.,
saved two young men from drown-
ing after a heroic struggle during
which Miss Becker was dragged be-
neath the water by the victims. She

swam to them in Newark Bay when
she saw they were exhausted. And
they held to her. She fought them
off, but was being slowly overcome
when Miss Miller went to her aid.
The two dragged the men ashore and
revived them.

Throughout the summer the
grackles may be seen everywhere on
the capital grounds and in the parks
strolling about with a dignity which
suggests that they are successfully
imitating, coming within a few feet
of the passerby to stare at him with
heads cocked inquiringly to one side.

These birds, together with the
squirrels, give a delightful touch of
life and movement to the wide lawns
and grounds of the capital city. They
are one of the most effective argu-
ments for bird protection.

SELL SICK TROTTER

CLEVELAND, Ohio, July 20.—
Peter McCormick, 2:05 1/2, handsome
son of Peter the Great, and rated as
one of the best trotters alive, will
be sold at auction today at North
Randall. The horse is to be sold by
his owner, V. L. Shuler, because of
ill health.

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Name of Boy or Girl

Get a ticket for the Circus.

A NEW SUBSCRIBER IS ONE WHO HAS NOT BEEN ON OUR LIST THE PAST MONTH.

MATHEWSON MADE MANAGER OF REDS

CINCINNATI, Ohio, July 20.—A deal was closed at noon today by which Christy Mathewson will become manager of the Cincinnati baseball club. He will take charge today.

The only thing that can stop the deal going through is for Charley Herzog, present manager, to refuse to come to terms with the New York club, to which he goes.

The Reds get Bill McKee, third baseman, and Ed Rousch, outfielder, in addition to Mathewson. Besides Herzog, Wade Kilmer goes to the Giants.

It was announced "no strings" are attached to the deal for Mathewson. Buck Herzog, deposed manager, signed a three-year contract to play with the New York Giants at an annual salary of \$10,000, the same amount he received from the Reds.

Some men even like to brag of how much they owe.

FARMER ARRESTED; CAR ATTACHED AT BRIDGE

Ole Westby, Houston, Minn., farmer, was arrested and his car attached by Constable Louis Omerberg last night as Westby was coming to La Crosse over the Mississippi wagon bridge. Westby recently ran into a street car at Fifth and Division streets and he failed to settle the damages. Claims of the street car company were settled without court action.

SAYS PROHIBITION HURTS THE CRAFTS

FOND DU LAC, Wis., July 20.—A plea to stem the tide of prohibition, not because it is opposed in principle, but because it is dealing a death blow to a number of crafts, was made before the state federation of labor convention in this city today by Joseph Proedstie, secretary of the International Brewery Workers' union of Cincinnati, Ohio. He said union men purchasing non-union labeled goods were putting weapons in the hands of the worst enemies of unionism.

Milwaukee Labor Troubles Spread

MILWAUKEE, Wis., July 20.—Labor trouble continued to develop with alarming rapidity in many of Milwaukee's foremost industries Thursday.

The machinists' strike spread to the Beaver Manufacturing company and the Geuder, Pfescheke and Frey company today, about 300 men walking out at the two plants. This makes a total of 2,500 machinists now demanding an eight-hour day. Almost 2,000 unorganized workers from textile factories are now striking.

About 300 workers walked out at the Everwear Hosiery company today. Strikes are now on at the Phoenix Knitting works, where 500 are out; Hole Proof Hosiery company, 700 strikers, and 500 others in small shops.

MATCH AT GAS LEAK BAD
NEW YORK, July 20.—B. Rapaport, hunted for a gas leak with a match. He will be able to leave bed in a week or so.

HEADWAY MADE ON BOTH SOMME FRONTS LINE STRAIGHTENED

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Longueval and in Delville, has been recaptured by the British. General Haig reported this afternoon.

North of the Longueval-Bazentin line the British advanced their lines this morning, making substantial advance near Leipsig redoubt.

Prepare for New Attack?
BY WILBUR S. FORREST
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)
WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN NORTHERN FRANCE, July 20.—

Every foot of the new German positions behind the lines captured by the British north of the Somme is being carefully and slowly drenched with a destructive fire of British high explosives in preparation for a new attack.

Roar Continuous
The roar of guns is continuous and resembles the heavy roll of thunder. The Germans give reply only occasionally. Either they are seriously outgunned, or are saving their ammunition.

British aircraft, without molestation, are directing the fire of the artillery. Since the beginning of the Anglo-French push German aircraft have been surprisingly absent. Allied flyers and balloon observers have been working in perfect security, obtaining most valuable information.

From a height a short distance in the rear, I obtained an excellent view of Fricourt, Contalmaison, Mametz village, Mametz wood, Bazentin-Le-Grand and other positions recently conquered by the British. Later our party traversed the valley of the Somme and entered the ruins of Fricourt, once a German stronghold, but stormed and captured by the British early in their great offensive.

Town Wiped Off Map
Imagine a giant steam roller passing over any American town of two thousand inhabitants and you get an idea of Fricourt today. The little French town has been literally wiped out. German dugouts, machine gun nests and shell holes represent the spikes of a huge steam-roller. The rest of the town is flattened in debris. Here and there from the hole of a battered German dugout comes a sickening stench that tells of piles of corpses.

The scene at Fricourt is typical of that in any of the other villages blotted out by high explosives. High British officers say that the purpose of the British offensive is not speed, but to recover by slow, steady pushes every yard of invaded French and Belgium territory at a minimum expenditure of human blood and by a heavy expenditure of powerful explosives, of which there is an ample supply. Fighting must go on below as well as above ground. The Germans have catacombed all villages to escape shell fire. At Bazentin-Le-Grand, for instance, the underground caverns sheltered 150,000 men.

The entire Anglo-German front on the Somme offensive are, as far as the eye can see, literally swarmed with men and material.

TEXAS CAMP NOT HELL BUT FINE HEALTH RESORT

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resort, an ideal climate, although a little warm at this time of the year, and annoyed by only a few million biting red ants and several brigades of tarantulas and other things that really have no ill feeling toward soldiers and only ask that they be left alone to sleep in peace in the soldiers' cots.

By using kerosene oil and a few other things, the boys are rapidly eliminating the red ants and so far as the tarantulas are concerned, they have found the men from the north so un hospitable that they have all just about decided to while away their hours in the vicinity of the prairie farthest from the soldiers.

There have been a few spider bites around camp, but none was serious. Even in case of a serious bite, there would be little danger as the men would immediately receive treatment from physicians who have made a study of the subject.

First Sergeant Ray Howland and Company Clerk Benjamin Sewski of Company B, Third regiment, had a thirty-five minute wrestling match in camp on Monday. They both swore that they won, so the boys of the company decided to call it a draw.

Harry Raper of the same company has proved himself a heart breaker. On the way down he delayed the train by flitting. When the train would stop some pretty girl would gaze upon Harry and immediately lose her heart. Of course, he would have to linger by her side and whisper a few words of consolation and upon these occasions, they had to beg him to hurry as the train had to move some time. That is the story his first sergeant tells about him.

Sergeant J. Sholes of Company B heard a lot about the vicious tarantulas of Texas. He slept on a shed the first night in camp, according to men who got up early in the morning.

A man from another company came around to B street and announced he could whip any man in camp. Gus Redmond of B company heard the last few words of the announcement and with the last word was out of his tent with a set of boxing gloves. They say Gus hit the visitor so hard the fall shook the earth. Gus weighs 130 pounds.

The goat mascot of Company M, Third infantry, arrived safely in custody of Roy Hazen. Private A. H. Orton gave the goat a chew of tobacco and was then compelled to beat a retreat which terminated in a disorganized rout.

Corp. Otto Olson's life is an unhappy one. He spent two days' pay on things with which to "doll up" and the boys of the company have been bringing up the subject ever since.

LACK OF CARE FOR SOLDIER GREATEST FAULT IN U. S. ARMY

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of his little home at 1457 Emma street, North Chicago, within a couple of days, give his wife a hug, and say, "Well, I'm home." He's got a check from Uncle Sam for \$67.72 and he's careful after paying his fare he ought to have about \$20 to hand over to Mrs. Shepkowski. He was born in Poland but has served in the militia six years and his term of enlistment expired today, his militia career winding up with a blazing two weeks' holiday here in Texas.

Wife Helped Him
"It wasn't so bad with me," said Shepkowski, "because my wife was a dressmaker and I could quit my glove cutter's job and go to the front without her starving, but there are lots of fellows whose wives don't work and they're worried stiff."

There were thousands of tragedies as grim as many in Europe in American homes three weeks ago which are just coming to light here on the border. General Funston and his staff officers are hearing them. Shepkowski put his finger on the greatest present fault with the American army plan.

"Can a man be a good soldier and do good work if he's wondering whether his family at home has enough to eat?" I asked General Funston, after leaving the jitney and making my way to his hot office.

Can't Worry and Work
The general, whose perspiring head was leaving patches of dampness on the leather back of the huge chair in which he sat, leaned forward, saying earnestly, "Of course not. I permitted fourteen men to return home yesterday because their dependents were suffering and I have so many requests for relief on like grounds that it will prove necessary to release several thousands within the next few weeks."

Good Lesson
These men are given three and a half cents mileage homeward. Money which has been spent in bringing them to the border, feeding them and outfitting them, and then after two weeks sending them back home, isn't wasted. It is our payment for the lesson that in our new army plan we must provide well for the care of soldiers' families if we are going to insist on taking men away from their families into the army.

"What about my family?" is the biggest question in all militia camps along the border.

Recruits to Fill Paps
WASHINGTON, July 20.—Militiamen released on the border because they have dependents at home will be supplanted by recruits now being obtained by militia officers kept at home for that purpose.

This, the war department said today, will take care of the situation created by the necessity to release thousands, as old by General Funston in an interview with William G. Shepherd today at San Antonio.

FLORIDA FARMER SAVES PARTY FROM FINANCIAL STRESS

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the largest ever made for a prohibition campaign. His pledge started the ball rolling and funds rolled in after that.

May Make Chaffin Compromise
That Eugene W. Chaffin may be proposed as a compromise candidate to the Hanly and Sulzer factions was hinted at about convention headquarters yesterday. A deadlock apparently exists between the New Yorker and Hoosier.

Factions Plan Steam Roller
The old fashioned camp meeting style of a convention was to see some "steam roller" today. The faction backing Hanly for president had control and planned to nominate him, adopt a platform and adjourn tonight, one day in advance of scheduled time. To check the steam roller, William Sulzer, former governor of New York, the other candidate for president, was expected here today to attempt a stampede for himself.

The convention's platform committee early today had fairly well worked out its principal planks.

The Susan B. Anthony suffrage amendment, an eight-hour day for workingmen, several other "social justice" planks, a program of preparedness for peace only, government ownership of armor plants, and support of various farmers' movements were the principal clauses decided on.

Sulzer arrived in an eleventh hour attempt to prevent the nomination of Hanly.

Leads in Prayer
As the convention met today, Rufus Payne of North Carolina, a Quaker, carried out the camp meeting impression by dropping to his knees, and calling on all of the delegates to join him in prayer. They did it. It was an old fashioned fervent plea.

Then Hanly boosters added a bit of color to the scene by marching around the hall singing they were "One hundred happy howling Hoosiers for Hanly."

Prior to Sulzer's arrival, Hanly's nomination seemed assured. Sulzer, seeking the nomination, largely upon an anti-Catholic platform, was expected to attempt a stampede of the convention later in the day. Meanwhile, Sulzer forces in the platform committee sought to inject an anti-Catholic plank into the platform.

TO PROBE EASTERN CAMPAIGNS

LONDON, July 20.—An official investigation of the Dardanelles and Mesopotamian campaigns has been decided upon by the British government. Premier Asquith informed the house of commons this afternoon.

SMITH LEAVES JAPAN

TOKIO, July 20.—Art Smith, the American aviator, sailed today on the liner Empress of Russia for Vancouver, which he will reach July 29 or 30.

ANTI-CATHOLIC PLANK ADOPTED BY THE PROHIBS

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planks and labor planks of previous campaigns are included.
The Mexican plank, which also reaffirms the Monroe doctrine, says: "Mexico needs not a conqueror but a Good Samaritan."

It is opposed to war of aggression against Mexico, but favors use of our force in event of a breakdown of the Mexican government. Protection for Americans is demanded.

Trade treaties, adequate merchant marine, old age pensions and improvement of civil service are advocated. The Americanism plank takes a slap at the hyphenates, stating that "one who loves other lands more than this is not fit for citizenship here."

The labor plank approves the eight-hour day, and "just division of wealth." This plank was inserted at request of socialists. Public control of all utilities also was demanded. Public grain elevators, federal grain inspection, and abolition of boards of trade for speculation were advocated.

For the first time in its session, the resolutions' committee barred its doors and staged the wrangle in secret.

Backed by the faction which is supporting William E. Sulzer as prohibition presidential candidate, the anti-Catholics declared that the religious issue is greater than the prohibition issue.

The American Patriotic societies, which is composed of the A. P. A. and Knights of Luther and similar organizations, were well represented. L. L. Pickett, Kentucky, one of the anti-Catholic leaders, insisted upon the plank adoption. Conservatives opposed him on the ground that the plank would antagonize the Catholic dry vote.

The sub-committee on platforms is said to have left the plank out of its draft and the fight began when the sub-committee reported to the full committee. The committee fight was expected to continue for several hours.

Composing the sub-committee are W. G. Calderwood, Minnesota; Eugene W. Chaffin, Arizona; Daniel C. Poling, Massachusetts; J. H. W. Wendenyke, California, and Oliver W. Stewart, Chicago.

The platform draft is said to include a demand for withdrawal of troops from Mexico.

BIDS FOR MOOSE SUPPORT

The platform is a plank bid for progressive support. Its concluding clause invited all progressives to unite upon the principles as outlined.

FISHING AND BASEBALL WHET APPETITES OF CITY AND COUNTY DADS

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the forenoon with a beautiful bass and a still lovelier sheephead and he launched forth on the quest again after lunch.

Mud was all that prevented Billy Fries, city comptroller, and Alderman Bill Torrance from setting a world's record for their age and weight in the century dash. Both were out for glory and they started out well. They ended up in a glorious puddle when their legs became hopelessly entangled in a bit of tall grass. They were assisted to the river for a general cleanup.

Louis Omerberg's fallies won a hard fought game of indoor ball from George Berger's skinnies. Omerberg hammered out a home run and Mayor Bentley would have done the same thing had his legs not got mixed up with those of W. F. Adams, lanky infielder of the skinnies.

Walter Winter narrowly escaped death at the close of the game after umpiring the mix. His long legs proved his salvation and he survived to tell the tale.

Postmaster O. R. Skaar, C. A. Krebaum and Banker Richards of Bangor, arrived at camp shortly after noon.

A big baseball game was scheduled as the principal attraction of the afternoon.

THOMPSON CHOSEN HEAD OF STATE PILOTING BOARD

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stump are Walter L. Houser, Mondovi; Attorney General Walter C. Owen, Madison; Merlin Hull, Black River Falls; E. N. Warner, Madison; Phil Lehner, Princeton; George M. Sheldon, Tomahawk; J. Q. Emery, Edgerton; State Senator Otto Bosshard, La Crosse; Charles Ingram, Durand; M. B. Olbrich, Madison, and others.

Attorney General Owen, who is a candidate for re-election, will open his campaign in Black River Falls on Saturday.

Senator Hatton, candidate for governor, is now speaking in the western part of the state, and the committee will keep him busy from now until the close of the primary campaign.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, wish to sincerely thank our many friends and neighbors for the sympathy shown at the burial of our aunt and grandmother, Mrs. Mary A. Hegebarth. Especially do we wish to thank Rev. Kern for his impressive service, members of the Frohman Singing society and for the many beautiful floral offerings.

MR. AND MRS. LOUIS A. WEIGEL

SENDS CONSCIENCE MONEY

NEW YORK, July 20.—An anonymous writer sent \$200 to Martin Sweeney, a long term in Sing Sing, as "conscience money." Sweeney can't figure out who owns such a remarkable conscience.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

LOST—Large canvass cover, between 12th and Mississippi and 12th and Ferry. Call Old Phone 2002-2R. New Phone 1196-M. 7 20 21

Big Rattler Is Killed By Park Driver On Bluff

A five-foot rattlesnake, with twelve rattles, was clubbed to death on Granddab Bluff Wednesday afternoon by Joseph Czechowicz, a teamster employed by the city park department.

Czechowicz had a short battle with the snake. He came upon it writhing across the bluff road on the north shoulder of Granddab, and opened the attack by throwing a rock at the reptile. The stone missed its mark, and the snake turned upon the teamster.

Czechowicz, catching up a heavy club from the roadside, swung at the snake and broke its back just as it launched its fangs at his leg.

VILLA IS AGAIN REPORTED FOUND

MEXICO CITY, July 20.—Reports today from Chihuahua state, say Villa has once again been definitely located and that constitutionalist forces have every expectation of capturing him.

A messenger sent by the bandit leader to seek medical aid was captured by constitutionalist cavalry and killed. The Carranzista commander reported today he expected to engage the main body of the Villistas at an early date.

JESS ESTABLISHES CIRCUS PRECEDENT

Jess Willard, "Heavyweight Champion of the World," who will appear here at all performances of the Sells-Floto Circus, has established a precedent in traveling with a circus.

At the present time there is not a single heavyweight in the country who has a chance to come up to Willard's standard. The champion will, at every performance of the Sells-Floto Circus, box a few rounds with his sparring partner, Monahan, and will show the spectators just what happened in the twenty-sixth round, when he won the championship.

Willard also illustrates the punches given when he defended the title at Madison Square Garden on March 26 last. Monahan weighs but little less than Johnson, and is but a fraction of an inch smaller. His build will make the exhibition seem more realistic, as the people can see how Johnson and Willard compare in stature.

At the performances Willard will first make his appearance in his old role of cowboy at the head of the Buffalo Bill Wild West Cowboys. Later he will give his boxing exhibition.

PROMINENT FARMER IS TRAILED BY HOUND ON SCENT OF SAFEROBBER

BLACK RIVER FALLS, Wis., July 20.—(Special.)—That Black River Falls is due for a scandal is believed here, following tracking of a prominent farmer by a bloodhound brought here to hunt a burglar who Tuesday night entered the safe of the P. L. Moe company, securing \$50 in cash. Authorities refuse to divulge the name of the suspect, who is a pillar of the community. Several mysterious robberies occurred here within the last year.

CASTLE IN WEST INDIES SAYS WIFE; SCHEDULE FILED

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schedule of liabilities and assets filed on Wednesday. The total of the engineering company's debts, according to the statement, is \$31,024.06. Liabilities amount to only \$6,500.

Both figures are incomplete, however. Mr. Gordon said today, and are subject to amendment. Certain sums of money that may amount to \$5,000, the lawyer indicated, have been paid to preferred creditors, but this may be returned and added to the assets of the firm.

Baltimore Concern Hard Hit
The largest single creditor is the Commercial Credit company of Baltimore, Md. Their bill against Castle is \$32,300.92. The figures, Mr. Gordon said, represent transactions covering a period of two years, during which Castle was selling notes to the Baltimore concern. By what means Castle induced the company to give him such extensive credit Mr. Gordon did not try to explain, except to say that there had been several notes from Castle's customers. Some of these had been paid, he said—adding that the money was the addition to the assets mentioned above.

The assets listed—\$6,500—comprise the estimated value of stock and tools on hand.

The largest creditors, besides the Baltimore concern, listed in the schedule are the Security bank, which has a bill of \$5,000, and the firm of Gordon, Law and Gordon, whose claim is \$3,500.

USE OF FLAG AS COLLECTOR DRAWS FIRE FROM "BOB"

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ing their battleships, killing their men by millions. By their own acts they are making it impossible for them to menace us again. The people are going to know whether these increased appropriations are for their defense or to set America on a new scheme of militarism—to collect individual debts owed American bondholders and concessionaires to pile up munition profits. The people will know! Beware the lies of November!

At first a girl wants but little here below, but after getting him she wants the earth.

WHY shouldn't quality count in your tobacco too? Give the quality test to W-B CUT Chewing. Use half as much as of ordinary tobacco—it's rich tobacco, chuck full of satisfaction. No need to hide good tobacco under sweetening. Notice how the salt seasoning brings out the flavor of the fine tobacco—no need to use so much, no need to grind and spit so much. A 10c pouch goes as far as 20 cents' worth of ordinary chewing.

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THREE DUAL MEETS AND INTER-STATE TOURNEY ARRANGED

Three dual tennis tournaments are in prospect in successive weeks for members of the La Crosse Tennis Club, with a big inter-state three-day meet for Labor Day to wind up the season's activities, according to an announcement Wednesday by C. E. Pieper, leader of the local net artists. The first of the tournaments comes a week from Saturday, when a La Crosse sextet will travel to Prairie du Chien.

Perry Stetteland and Pieper are the only two representatives of the La Crosse club who are sure of berths on the team. The other four will be picked next week.

On the Saturday following the Prairie tournament, the Winona players, who met La Crosse at Winona, will come here for a return match, and a week later the Sanitarium City cracks will come to this city for their revenge.

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SPORTS

PRINCESS ITALIA LOWERS HER MARK IN THE 2:24 TROT

St. Paul Mare Steps Distance in 2:23 3/4; Wynne All of Decorah Was Close on Her Heels

WAS LA CROSSE DAY

Stores Closed and Race Lovers Turned Out in Force; Chippewa Falls Horse Prostrated

Princess Italia, black mare owned by C. A. Niles, St. Paul, is no more eligible to race in a 2:24 trotting event. The mare yesterday went the mile in 2:23 3/4 in the third and deciding heat of the 2:24 trot, the first event of the final day of the midsummer meet of the La Crosse Trotting association. Her driver allowed her to lower her mark, for 12 she had not overstepped the mark. Wynne All, Decorah, Iowa, horse, would have. He passed the barrier on the heels of the winner.

It was La Crosse day. With stores closed throughout the city, the racing element turned out in force to see the cream of northwest horseflesh work. The attendance was gratifying, the grandstand being filled nearly to capacity. The track was lined with followers of the sport.

Not a La Crosse entry was in the three events yesterday. Several were entered but failed to appear.

Horse Prostrated

The heat nearly proved fatal to one horse, King Woodland, owned by T. L. Murphy of Chippewa Falls. The horse had a burning fever and his entry was out of the question.

Black Boreal, Red Wing horse, proved a veritable little wonder in the 2:17 trot. Finishing second in the first heat, he won the next three and the race. His best time was 2:17 1/4, which, considering the weather and difficulty experienced in starts, was remarkable. Sid McKerron, Waverly, Iowa, gelding, came in a wide second.

Dalos M, owned by T. L. Murphy, Chippewa Falls, staged a pretty comeback as ever seen on a local track. He came in fifth in the first heat of the 2:17 pace. When he opened the second heat he was applauded roundly, but when he came in in the lead in the third round he was without doubt the favorite of the event. The fourth heat and the race went to him, his best time being 2:18 1/4. Dick S., winning the first heat, finished with second money and Cecil Bond, a Ourand steed, was awarded third money.

That the midsummer meet has established itself as a permanent institution in La Crosse is the opinion of prominent members of the trotting association. The first meet, it is held, has been unusually successful.

PUT IN BAY, Ohio, July 20.—Michael McDermott of the Illinois Athletic club, Chicago, yesterday afternoon established a new world's record in the 200 yard great stroke swim, making the event in two minutes, 43 1/2 seconds. This clipped 4 1/2 seconds from the record, which was previously set by McDermott.

Mrs. Whitcomb negotiated the eighteen hole qualifying round with a total of 87, and she was just three strokes less than Miss Frances Hadfield of Blue Mound.

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WEDNESDAY'S RESULTS:

2:24 Trot
1. Princess Italia
2. Wynne All
3. Attorney General
4. Ivan Thorne
5. Hearty Binger

2:17 Pace
1. Dalos M.
2. Dick S.
3. Cecil Bond
4. Hathaway
5. Ludwig C. Trize Chalmers, Beske Hall and Byron Lockhart also finished.

2:17 Trot
1. Black Boreal
2. Sid McKerron
3. Tarquana
4. Hamline J.
5. Cory Kilvert, Alice Marmore, Jauntfast and Banker also finished.

WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

Yesterday's Hero

Modest Benny Kauff. Benny came in from center on the wing, picked up a muffed throw and tagged out both Williams and Mann of the Cubs who were in a snarl at second because Knabe stood still on third.

Urban Shocker, sent to Toronto by the Yankees in the spring, won his fourth straight shutout when he held the Newark Internationals with four hits. The Pittsburgh worm was turning fiercely, smote the Dodgers twice in the same place, reducing their lead to two and one-half games.

The Athletics lost again.

Magee, the only regular Yankee outfielder not on crutches, made a great catch of a long fly in the second game.

The Braves singled six times, drew a base on balls and a wild pitch in the first inning against St. Louis, jamming over five runs. They got five more for good measure.

The Giant and Cub slugers potted out twenty-four hits, these including five two-baggers and two home runs.

Graney of Cleveland went to bat four times and scored four runs.

Failing as a relief pitcher in the game against Chicago, Walter Johnson was sent back and nearly shut the Sox out in the second game.

Bill Rariden, the Giants catcher, started three out of four of his team's double plays.

Information

Algy—What part of a harness is an umbrella?—Checkrein, silly boy!

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WOULD ABOLISH FOREVER THE TEACHING OF FRENCH AND ENGLISH IN GERMANY

AMSTERDAM, July 20.—The suggestion that German educational institutions abolish forever the teaching of French and English in their school work has been endorsed by the leading Berlin newspapers according to information here today. The suggestion came from a pamphlet written by Adolph Reinecke, a German author.

LEONARD IN CONDITION FOR FIGHT WITH WELSH

NEW YORK, July 20.—Crafty Benny Leonard will be in first class fighting shape when the bell rings for his battle with Freddie Welsh next week, was the word passed out here today. When Welsh and Pollock set the date for the long sought battle only ten days away, it was rumored around that they had caught the pride of Harlem unprepared.

RECOVER AEROPLANE

WASHINGTON, July 20.—An aeroplane abandoned west of Dublin, July 14, has been recovered. General Pershing advised the war department yesterday. The aviators were compelled to land because of the failure to turn on the gasoline from the reserve tank before starting.

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GRIPPLED YANKEES TAKE DOUBLE BILL FROM THE BROWNS

NEW YORK, July 20.—Despite the loss of another player, Outfielder Hugh High, who writhed an ankle in falling while coming in fast for a short fly in the second game, New York retained its lead by twice defeating St. Louis on Wednesday, 5 to 0 and 5 to 4. It was the sixth doubleheader New York has won on the home grounds this season.

In the first game, Donovan's new pitching find, Russell, shut out St. Louis with four hits, two being scratches, while the Yankees pounded Knob hard.

Manager Jones of St. Louis and Caldwell of New York were put off the field by Umpire Dineen in the second game. The score:

First game—R. H. E.
St. Louis00000000—0 4 1
New York00203000—5 10 0
Batteries—Knob, Fincher and Hartley; Russell and Numanaker.

Second game—R. H. E.
St. Louis010001200—1 9 2
New York01103000—5 8 2
Batteries—Hamilton, Davenport and Severoid; Fisher, Morigridge, Shawkey and Numanaker.

Sox 6-2; Senators 3-6.

First game—R. H. E.
Chicago01020000—3 6 1
Washington010001010—3 6 3
Batteries—Wolfgang, Russell and Schalk; Ayers, Dumont, Johnson, Hendy and Ainsmith.

Second game—R. H. E.
Chicago000001001—2 6 3
Washington01000111—3 6 8
Batteries—Benz, Danforth and Lapp; Johnson and Ainsmith.

First game—R. H. E.
Detroit010001000—2 6 2
Boston01001002x—4 8 2
Batteries—Dauss, and McKee; Mays, Thomas and Agnew.

Second game—R. H. E.
Detroit03000200—5 14 4
Boston11411100—9 11 1
Batteries—Cunningham, Boland and Baker; Shore, Leonard and Cady.

Indians 12; Macks 5
Cleveland .10502022—12 12 1
Philadelphia .120001001—5 9 4
Batteries—Bagby and Daly; Hasselbacher and Carroll.

PIRATES GRAB TWO FROM THE DODGERS GIANTS BEAT CUBS

PITTSBURGH, Pa., July 20.—Pittsburgh won a double header from Brooklyn here Wednesday, the final game going fourteen innings. The score in the first game was 1 to 0, and the second 2 to 1. The only run made in the opening game came in the first inning when Carey bunted safely, stole second, went to third on O'Mara's error, and scored on Hinchman's sacrifice fly.

A base on balls to Schmidt and Carey's triple gave the Pirates a run in the sixth inning of the final contest. Brooklyn tied the score in the ninth on J. Johnson's single. O'Mara's sacrifice and Wheat's single.

The local team won out in the fourteenth when Hinchman, after being safe on Getty's error, went to second on Farmer's out at first and scored on a single by Schultz, who batted for W. Johnson. Score:

First game—R. H. E.
Brooklyn00000000—0 3 1
Pittsburgh10000000—1 4 2
Batteries: Pfeffer and McCarty; Kantichever and Wilson.

Second game—R. H. E.
Brooklyn0000000010000—1 10 1
Pittsb'g00000100000001—2 7 2
Batteries: Cheney, Dell, Smith and Miller; Muller and Schmidt.

Giants, 8; Cubs, 6

Score: R. H. E.
New York313010000—8 11 2
Chicago101210010—6 12 3
Batteries: Benton, Anderson and Rariden; Lavender, Packard, Brown and Fischer.

Boston, 10; Cards, 1

Score: R. H. E.
Boston510100201—10 13 0
St. Louis010000000—1 6 1
Batteries: Rudolph and Gowdy; Williams, Jasper and Gonzales.

SLAPNICKA WOULD REVIVE THE W-I.

OSHKOSH, Wis., July 20.—An effort to revive the old Wisconsin-Illinois Baseball league to play in six or eight cities next year is being made among the business men here. Cyril Slapnicka, former W-I. leaguer and now leading hurler for the Milwaukee American association club, wants to put a club in here and fans are now trying to raise \$2,500 to carry a team through. Slapnicka says it be taken hold here, it will be a class C proposition with a salary limit of \$1,250.

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Washington	44	42	Pittsburgh	37	40
Detroit	43	42	Chicago	34	44
St. Louis	36	48	St. Louis	29	49
Philadelphia	18	59	Cincinnati	24	49

GAMES TODAY

National League
New York at Chicago, rain.
Brooklyn at Pittsburgh, clear.
Boston at St. Louis, rain.
Philadelphia at Cincinnati, two games, clear.

American League
St. Louis at New York, threatening.
Chicago at Washington, cloudy, two games.
Detroit at Boston, clear.
Cleveland at Philadelphia, cloudy, two games.

American Association
Minneapolis at Columbus, clear.
St. Paul at Toledo, clear.
Milwaukee at Indianapolis, clear.
Kansas City at Louisville, clear.

HART AT THE MAJESTIC TODAY

William S. Hart inspires great Italian Sculptor. It was to be expected. The massive and powerful features of Wm. Hart possess an inspiration for a sculptor, and there could not fail to be, among the many artists of every kind who are to be found on the Pacific coast, one who would feel the inherent appeal of that remarkable face, and seek the privilege of reproducing its strength and virility in enduring marble.

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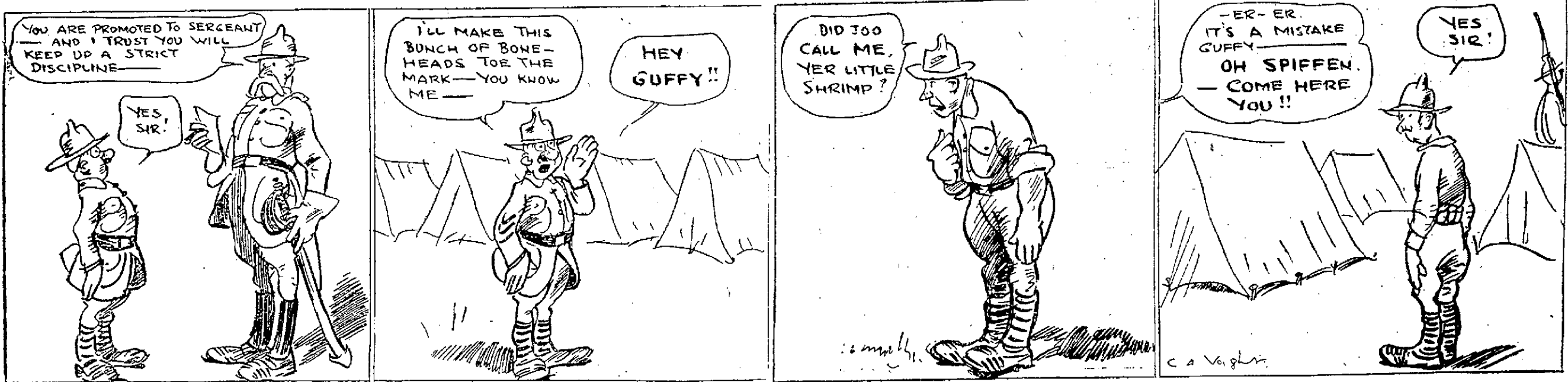
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S'MATTER, POP?



PETHEY DINK—Well, He Can make Some of Them Toe the Mark

By C. A. VOIGHT



BRINGING UP FATHER

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By GEORGE McMANUS



The TRIBUNE'S Daily Short Story

COUSIN GEORGE ARRIVES

BY LOUISE OLIVER

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Rosette answered the telephone because Daisy was still engaged in opening the morning mail, and she returned to the sunlit breakfast room bursting with news. However, when she saw the look of consternation upon her sister's face she exclaimed favorably, "What's the matter?"

"Matter!" exclaimed Daisy, holding up a letter in dismay. "Have you ever heard of a branch of our family which went West years ago? Father knows all about them, but whenever he started on the subject I didn't care to listen, and I don't suppose you did either. I don't consider rough-and-ready Western relatives any particular asset. Well,

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anyway, here's a letter from one of them—George Salisbury he signs himself—saying he is coming this week and would like to hunt up the cousins. He's coming here today!"

Rosette sprang up. "Today! Why on earth didn't he pick some other time? He'll completely ruin our garden party!"

"Of course he will," agreed Daisy. "That's the trouble. If father were home he could take him motoring or something, but, of course, he will arrive in the midst of all the festivities, sombrero, boots and all. Oh, dear, I can just see us introducing him to Mrs. Star Page—our cousin from the West, dear Mrs. Page! I can see her lorgnon fairly quiver with indignation. Oh, what shall we do?"

"And Aunt Margaret just telephoned that she is bringing an Englishman along! And if her neuralgia gets too bad she'll see that he gets here anyway. She's so anxious for us to be nice to him and says she is not at all averse to having him in the family. As she puts it, an alliance with such a rich old English family as his would be most gratifying to her! I can see us introducing our country cousin to him!" The girls groaned in chorus.

"What is all the fuss about, girls?" asked a quiet voice in the doorway. A girl slightly older than the others stood there with her arms full of red roses. Her dark brown hair, deep gray eyes, and blue linen dress made a combination of color that might have stepped out of a frame.

"Hello, Elsa!" in duet. "Come in, early bird, and we'll tell you. Trouble enough indeed." And they rapidly related as coherently as they could all that had happened.

Elsa laughed. "Your poor children! I suppose I ought to sympathize, but I can't. It—it's too funny. How things do turn out. To think that the very day you have your smart little garden party cooked up and asked all the big toads in the whole resort to come, and play in your little puddle, a great big cowboy has to come stamping

around and spoil all the fun."

The girls looked their disgust. "How can you laugh?" indignantly. "It isn't like you, Elsa! You've come to the rescue before and helped along some way. In fact, we rather counted on you this time."

Elsa wiped her eyes and her face sobered. "Because, girls, I think you deserve a little punishment for your very snobbish ideas. I heard what you said about the English alliance and it sounds too cold-blooded for kiddies your age. Aunt Margaret ought to be ashamed!"

The girls looked guilty. They adored this cousin who lived with them, and a word of chiding from her was not to be taken lightly.

"Because," she went on, "I can't see that the joke is on anybody but me. When this Salisbury man comes, I'll have to take care of him—that's all. I'll stay close to the end of the pergola, where I can see the drive

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and all new-comers. If he is completely hopeless, I'll run away with him at once. If his appearance is passable, I'll trot him along to you to say how-dy, let him shake hands with one or two of the men, and then show him the roses and Italian garden before any one discovers that his verbs and participles have been neglected. Just trust me—that's all! And if he proves to be all right, I'll give him free rein and let him run loose."

"You're a dear, Elsa! What a relief! Just keep him away from the Englishman—that's all we ask. The English are so particular about family, you know, and this would be an awful give-away."

"Trust me, girls. Now I must put away my roses!"

The garden party was in full swing. As Elsa had said, all the big toads of Summit Lake had been asked and all kinds of smart equipage lined the drive. A gaily-dressed crowd formed itself in groups around tea tables under striped canopies and low shade trees. Some were in the pergola, some wandering through the garden and others had found seats in the natural grove of elms that the landscape gardener had had the good sense to leave undisturbed. Here on a rustic bench were seated Elsa and Cousin George Salisbury.

Elsa had adopted the second plan on her list—that of presenting the Westerner to the girls in the pergola and a few of the guests, then running off with him. The outward appearance was reassuring, in fact, perplexing. Certainly they had no need to be ashamed of the smart trap that had brought him or of his well-made white clothes. True, he was "bronzed"—but the weatherbeaten look only added distinction to a clear-cut striking face.

But, to be on the safe side about the verbs, Elsa had steered him naturally and quietly away from the crowd, and he fell in instantly with her plan.

As they seated themselves in the cool shade of the trees, the man looked up through the spreading elms and around at the soft, velvety

grass and then his gaze rested for an instant upon the quiet, pretty girl at his side, dressed simply in soft, exquisite white. He sighed ever so softly and half closed his eyes.

"This is—delicious, and—if you will pardon me—a pleasant surprise. I wasn't expecting anything so agreeable."

"I don't quite understand, Mr. Salisbury!"

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me, but I am a little out of sorts today and things have a way of popping out that I don't intend to say at all. I mean that these trees are wonderful, they are like home and—and you are wonderful—you are like home, too. There! Don't ask me to explain any further. I'll only get in deeper. I want to thank you for not trotting me around to all those tiresome people to be petted like a poodle on a chain."

"But why should I?"

"I don't know why you should, but it seems to be the thing. I have a feeling that I am on exhibition most of the time." Elsa smiled involuntarily, but her answer was irrelevant.

"You like our trees! They are wonderful aren't they? But I didn't know they had elms like these outside of New England. Where in the West do they grow?"

"Oh, I was not speaking of the West. When I say home I mean England. You see, my mother was a Western woman and my father married her there. They lived in Montana only two years, where I was born. Then my father took us to England. I've always lived there. I've spent the last year and a half in the army in Belgium and France, however. I'm only here for a short time on business. Being in this part of the country, I thought I'd hunt up my relatives. I wanted to see Aunt Margaret and these little girls. I'm sorry their mother and father are away. But there are compensations—I have met you!"

Elsa's usually clear white skin was burning. The Westerner and the wonderful Englishman were the same then! What a fine mix-up they had made of things!

"Do you want to talk to the girls now?" she asked suddenly. "They will be furious with me for keeping you all to myself!"

"I suppose I'd better," he agreed, "but not until you'll promise to give me some of your time tomorrow. We can motor, go boating, anything you like, but I must see you, earnestly. I leave on Friday."

"I'll be very glad to do anything

you wish," she answered, her heart giving a queer little flutter.

And to add to the general excitement, when the girls heard the truth that evening they learned also from their aunt over the phone that he was not only a colonel in the army, but a real live earl besides.

"We've missed our chance!" they pouted ruefully. "What sillies we were!"

"But how about me?" asked Elsa, smiling happily.

"You darling!" they cried as they threw their arms around her and kissed her. "We'll keep him in the family after all!"

PLANES BOMBARD REVAL

BERLIN, via wireless to Sayville, July 20.—German naval planes Tuesday night bombed enemy cruisers, torpedo boats, submarines and military establishments, at the Russian naval port of Reval, on the Gulf of Finland. It was officially announced Wednesday afternoon. The planes were accompanied by a German squadron.

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BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY—The \$1000 dollar investment wants one man in each county in state of Wisconsin who wishes to start in a clean and profitable manufacturing business on small capital. Free demonstration at 1000-meyer & Lyden, 214 South Fourth street. 7 19 25

WANTED—Learn Barber Trade—Best paying trade in the U. S. Position guaranteed. Can make from \$25 to \$75 while learning. Write for catalog. Pe-City Barber College, Peabody, Iowa. 7 19 21

WANTED—Laborers in quarry. Steady work. La Crosse Stone Co. 7 19 22

WANTED—Driver at Reliable Steam Laundry, 117-119 North Sixth. 7 19 21

WANTED—Saw and cross cut saw men; also millers. Hubbers Saw Co. 7 19 21

WANTED—Iron press hand. Apply in person to Superintendent of La Crosse Pulp Co. 7 20 22

WANTED—Good, strong boy. Martello Co. 7 19 21

YOUNG man—wanted. Banner Lunch. 7 19 21

WANTED—Automobile repair man. Duets Garage, 209 State. 7 17 17

WANTED—Porter, Cameron Hotel. 7 17 17

PORTER WANTED at the Standard hotel. 7 18 20

BOYS WANTED at the Standard hotel. 7 18 20

WANTED—FEMALE HELP

LADIES—Our catalogue explains how we teach hair dressing, manicuring, facial massage, etc., in few weeks, mailed free. Moler College, 165 S. 5th Ave., Chicago. 7 15 21

WANTED—Girl for lunch counter work. Experience not necessary if neat appearing and willing worker. Cameron hotel. 6 29 21

WANTED—Experienced girl at boarding house. Inquire 1105 California street. 7 17 21

WANTED—Competent girl for housework. No cooking. 710 Vine. 7 20 21

WANTED—Competent woman for general housework. 1105 State St. 7 19 21

WANTED—Girl. La Crosse Steam Laundry, 117 South Front street. 7 11 21

WANTED—Competent girl. Mrs. M. F. Platz, 314 So. 15th St. 7 15 21

WANTED—Girls, steady employment. Pamperin Cigar Co., 113 S. Second. 7 11 21

WANTED—Girls, 16 years or over, to work in our factory. La Crosse Knitting works. 7 6 21

WANTED—Girl at Modern Steam Laundry. 7 20 22

WANTED—Dining room girl. Hotel Doering. 7 17 22

WANTED—Girl. New Dairy Lunch, 207 Main. 7 19 21

REAL ESTATE

For Sale or Trade

FOR SALE—Hotel Webster, steam heated, two dollar day houses, completely furnished, located at Webster, Wis., best town on new Soo line. Fifteen hundred will handle this balance on easy monthly payments. Must be seen to be appreciated. Wm. Haggerty, Webster, Wis. 7 18 20

ADMINISTRATION SALE—Half section or quarter, at Milaca, Minnesota. Black loam, no canal, level good road rural mail. To close estate quickly heirs will sacrifice at \$20 an acre, worth \$40, or 19 years' time. \$5 each cash. John Hester, Preston, Minn. 7 15 20

RESTAURANT FOR SALE in Western Minnesota; good business, but have to sell quick on account of self appointed postmaster; will sell reasonable for quick sale; everything nearly new. P. O. Box, Boyd, Minn. 7 15 21

FOR SALE—Beautiful summer cottage lots, at Lake View, high and dry from flood, fine shade trees, grass and lake and river front. Inquire of Henry Benz, 1625 Avon St. New phone 1553-A. 7 13 18

FOR SALE—Nice dwelling, also dairy farm. Box 323, City. 7 13 22

FOR SALE—On easy terms, 40 acres, five cleared, balance easily cleared; two room house, log barn, good road, mail route; 3 1/2 miles from Lady-smith. Price \$1,400. R. J. Russell, 235 South Seventh street. 7 15 21

FOR SALE—Frame residence, beautifully located, central residence district, shady boulevard, electricity, gas, water; half block from car, six blocks from business district. Address K. E. care Tribune. 7 19 21

TEN ROOM modern house, conveniently located for roomers, corner lot, 80x125. Eight room cottage, modern, with corner lot, 60x110. Easy terms. C. F. Klein, 310 Pearl street. 5 27 17

WELL TIMBERED hardwood eighty, virgin loam soil, on good road close to town, 22.50 per acre. \$200 down, balance easy terms. Frank M. Doyle, Ladysmith, Wis. e o d 91

FOR SALE—20,000 acres maple, birch and bass wood upper Wisconsin lands. Price \$10 to \$25. R. J. Russell, 235 South Seventh street. 7 15 21

FOR SALE—Summer cottage locations in "Shore Acres" on Mississippi. Buy now, build later. \$100 buys acre. Terms if desired. W. V. Kidder, 114 North Fifth. 3 27 17

FOR SALE—60 acres, all cultivated, good house and barn, good road, mail route, six miles from Winona. Price \$1,000. R. J. Russell, 235 South Seventh street. 7 15 21

FOR SALE—First class lot on hill, view, facing park, across from city greenhouses. Call 907-M or address L. T. care of Tribune. 4 12 17

FOR SALE—Seven room house with bath, inquire 820 Main street. 7 15 14

CORNER LOT, 21st and Vine, \$550. 208 South 23rd. 1625-Black. 7 10 8 9

FOR SALE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Brush run, about for delivery purposes, good as new. Will trade for horses. Call Thursday, July 20. Other days call between 12 and 2 o'clock or between 6 and 7 p. m. 513 South Ninth St. 7 19 21

COLUMBIA double disc records, 65c. Second hand records, 25c up. Kluge Bros. Piano Co., 603 Main. 7 17 18 16

FOR SALE—Enameled adjustable hydraulic baby bed, also thermostat in perfect condition. 410 South 21st. 7 19 20

FOR SALE—Confectionery and small stock of groceries, on account of going out of business, 1029 California. 7 19 21

FOR SALE—Chicken coop and full blooded White Wyandotte chickens. Price right. 521 So. 9th. 7 14 20

ORGANS FOR SALE—\$5 and up. Phonographs, \$15 and up. Kluge Bros. Piano Co., 603 Main. 7 17 18 16

FOR SALE—Restaurant. Good location; doing good business. Reason for selling, 33, care of Tribune. 7 8 21

FOR SALE—New motorcycle, cheap if taken at once. Address 224 Jay street. 7 17 21

FOR SALE—Furniture, household goods, rugs, Rhineland, 129 North Ninth. Call from nine to two. 7 15 21

FOR SALE—Automobile, cheap, cheap. Modern Steam Laundry. 5 1 17

FOR SALE—Clay and best quality black dirt. La Crosse Stone Co. 6 1 17

FOR SALE—Nine full blood light Brahmas, hens and roosters, cheap. New phone 1516-A. 7 20 22

FOR SALE—A rubber tired surrey in good condition. Call 1918-M new phone. 7 20 21

FOR SALE—Kitchen range in good condition, hot water front. 209 North 14th. 7 19 21

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Restaurant for Ford runabout or truck. Inquire 227 South Third. 6 19 21

COLUMBIA double disc records, 65c. Weis Book Store, 533 Main. 7 8 5 3

FOR SALE—Cheap, carpenter and mechanic tools, ship augers. 129 North Ninth. Phone 847-A. 7 3 17

CENTURY, the best \$25 bicycle made. Weis Book Store, 533 Main. 7 3 8 2

FOR SALE—Two delivery horses. Beutler Grocery. 7 17 21

EASTMAN KODAK cheap. 417 So. Third. 7 15 21

FOR SALE—Kitchen range, 927 West avenue south. 7 20 21

FOR SALE—Range, \$5.00, 714 Cass street. 7 11 21

FOR SALE—Good gas range. Call new phone 644-M. 7 8 21

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Seven room fully modern house, 700 Pine St. \$22.00. C. F. Klein, 310 Pearl St. Second floor of 119-221 Main street, suitable for light manufacturing or mercantile purposes. \$50.00 or \$25.00 for either one number. C. F. Klein, 310 Pearl St. 7 18 17

OFFICE ROOMS now occupied by Dr. H. J. Hauser, 119 South Fourth street, over Spurgeon Mercantile Co., after Aug. 1, 1916. Address Secretary Old Fellows' Hall Association, La Crosse. 7 17 17

FOR RENT—Three large modern steam heated rooms, furnished complete for light housekeeping, 135 South 21st street, 1467-R new phone. 7 17 17

FOR RENT—Seven room fully modern house, furnished, located on North September 15, No. 119 North Fifth street, \$25 per month. C. F. Klein, 310 Pearl street. 7 8 17

FOR RENT—Five rooms downstairs, 946 Division street. 7 18 20

FOR RENT—Large well furnished room, bath, steam heat, telephone. Two blocks from Main. Inquire 510 King. Phone 1052-M. 7 20 22

FOR RENT—Store. Modern front. New building with large basement. City heat. 425 Jay street. 7 17 22

FOR RENT—Several delightfully cool rooms, to men only, at Y. M. C. A. For rates apply at office, 7th and Main. 7 6 17

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished connecting rooms, private entrance. Ladies preferred. 515 South Fifth. 7 3 17

FOR RENT—Pleasant light housekeeping rooms to reliable parties only. 510 South Fourth. 7 20 22

SIX ROOM modern lower apartment, 1316 State. Phone 141-2 rings. 7 20 26

SIX unfurnished rooms for rent, \$16 So. 5th St., call between 6 and 7 o'clock evenings. 7 18 20

NIGHT ROOM modern house for rent. Inquire Fred Dittman, 1101 State. 7 15 17

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms; clean, modern, homelike. 149 South Sixth. 7 17 23

FOR RENT—All modern, furnished flat, in duplex home, cool and desirable. 1175-M. 7 15 21

FOR RENT—Unfurnished housekeeping rooms for man and wife. \$12. 320 North Eighth. 7 10 22

FOR RENT—Furnished light housekeeping rooms, not modern. 1491-A new phone. 7 8 17

FOR RENT—One large furnished room. Modern. 631 State. 7 14 20

FOR RENT—Two front office rooms on second floor. Baker-Niehuys Co. 4 29 17

FOR RENT—Three furnished light housekeeping rooms. 714 Cass. 7 1 17

FOR RENT—All modern light housekeeping apartment. 417 State. 7 12 17

FOR RENT—Housekeeping rooms, furnished. 516 Division. 7 20 26

HOUSE for rent, 723 Avon. Call 215 So. 7th. 7 19 22

SEVEN ROOMS, modern, 1091 Jackson. 7 20 21

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, 236 South Seventh. 7 20 26

FOR RENT—House 226 So. 24th St. 7 18 20

FOR RENT—Rooms, 827 So. 9th St. 7 18 20

FOR RENT—Five room house, 1418 Vine. 7 17 22

FOR RENT—Five room upper flat at 1334 Perry St. 7 6 17

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—\$400 on city property. Address "Property," care of Tribune. 7 3 17

DRESSMAKING—Suits, tub dresses, 516 Division. 485-M. 6 29 7 28

CARPENTER WORK WANTED by an experienced carpenter, 1112 Winnebago street. New phone 376-A. 7 19 18 9

N. A. MAGNUSSEN, 711 Market St. Cement work of all kinds. Reasonable prices. New Phone 1056-R. 7 6 5 3

LOST

LOST—Gold friendship pin, blue and white sets, size of quarter, at the levee near the band stand Monday night. Finder please return to the Tribune office. Reward. 7 19 20

WILL PERSON who found black purse in La Crosse Confectionery Wednesday evening please return? Keepsake tied in handkerchief. Call 672-R or old phone office. 7 20 21

LOST in city from automobile, Linen coat. Call 521-C. Reward. 7 18 20

FOUND

FOUND—Link bracelet. Owner may have same by calling at Tribune and paying for adv. 7 20 21

AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE

FOR RENT—\$255; Ohio five passenger, \$250; Buick roadster, \$245; Studebaker, electric lights and starter, \$450. Elsen & Philips, 119 South Second street. New phone 61. 7 19 22

FOR SALE—A 1916 5 passenger Metz automobile in good condition. Address Metz, care of La Crosse Tribune. 7 12 22

RYBOLD & WEIHAUPT, 215-217 South Front street, Imperial five passenger, \$350; White five passenger, \$300. 7 17 23

FOR SALE—Light five passenger car, bargain \$175. Hillview Greenhouses, 24th and La Crosse streets. 7 20 22

CADILLAC, electric starter; delivery truck, A-1 shape, \$450; Packard chassis for truck or speedster. General Motor Car Co., 207 State. 6 27 7 26

CUT RATE SHIPPING

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific coast and other points, superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

SHOE REPAIRING

WHITEWAY SHOE REPAIR SHOPS 107 North Third street and 609 Main. Work done and delivered. Old phone 9324; new phone 1256-R. J. Jensen & Art. Amundson. 7 3 8 2

STOVES AND FURNITURE

FURNITURE, STOVES, etc., bought and sold. Dalley's, 625 S. Third. 1607-M. 6 22 7 21

SECOND-HAND furniture and stoves. Bell Furniture Co., 316 So. Third. 3 17 17

FINANCIAL

FOURTH BUILDING ASSOCIATION lends money on real estate. Study its monthly payment plan. 5 4 17

CLEANERS AND DYERS

LET US clean and press your suit. Fancy dresses, gloves, etc., specially, quick service. Work called for. Fitzer's. Phones 201-M; 3481. 6 23 7 22

UMBRELLAS REPAIRED

UMBRELLAS repaired and recovered, arasois a specialty. Mrs. C. A. Cordell, 1530 Mississippi. Phone 1728-M. 5 24 7 23

Daily Markets

(Quoted by John C. Burns.) Wholesale

Blueberries, 16 ct. case \$2.40
Oranges, Sunlight Valencia, 150 size \$4.25
Oranges, Sunlight Valencia, 175 size \$4.25
Oranges, Sunlight Valencia, 200 size \$4.25
Cider, clarified, box \$3.75
Cider, clarified 1/2 bbl \$4.00
Cider, steam refined \$4.00
Cider, crab apple bbl \$5.50
Bananas, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50
Lemons, 300 to 360 box \$6.00
Peaches, per box \$1.30
Plums, crate \$1.75
Watermelons \$3.00
Potatoes, new, bu. \$1.20
Pears, Clapps, box \$3.00
Pears, Bartlett's, box \$3.50
Prunes, Tragedy, crate \$2.00
Elberta Peaches, bu \$3.00
Elberta Peaches 1-3 bu. \$1.25

Livestock (Quoted by Farmers' Co-operative Packing Company)

Hogs \$7.50 to \$9.00
Cows \$2.00 to \$5.50
Steers \$5.00 to \$6.50
Heifers \$4.50 to \$6.00
Calves \$5.00 to \$8.00
Sheep \$2.50 to \$4.00
Spring Lambs \$7.00 to \$8.00

Poultry

Chickens \$13 to 14c
Turkeys \$12 to 13c
Ducks \$12 to 13c
Geese \$9c

Provisions

Lard \$14 to 15c
Shoulders \$13 1/2 to 14c
Pienies \$14 to 14 1/2c
Bacon \$18 to 22c
Ham \$19 to 20c
Dried beef \$24 1/2 to 25 1/2c

Grain (Quoted by Farmers' Co-operative Market Co.)

Corn \$1.75 to \$2.00
Oats \$1.40 to \$1.60
Wheat \$2.00 to \$2.10
Rye \$1.80 to \$2.00
Barley \$1.65 to \$1.75

Flour and Feed (Quoted by Listman Mill Co.)

Patents \$8.80
Straights \$8.60

Feed

Brn, per ton, 100 lb. sacks \$24.00
Sports, per ton, 100 lb. sacks \$25.00
White Middlings, per ton, 100 pound sacks \$30.00
Red Dog, ton, 100 lb. sacks \$32.00
Butter and Eggs

(Quoted by Hawley, Conn. Co.)

Creamery butter, pound \$23 to 30c
Dairy butter, pound \$23 to 24c
Eggs, fresh, dozen \$24c

Cheese (Henry Andereg.)

Fancy full cream Brick Cheese, in cases \$16 to 17c
Wisconsin Twins \$16 to 17c
Wisconsin Daisies \$16 to 17c
Wisconsin Limburger \$18 to 20c
Wisconsin Swiss, round, \$2 to 3c
Full Swiss, block \$2 to 3c
Primo \$7 1/2c
Mystok \$7c
German Hard Cheese, per box \$9c

Comparative Markets

These quotations show the General Trend of Prices for the Previous Week

LIVESTOCK YESTERDAY

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., July 19.—Hogs—Receipts, 21,500; market, slow; mixed and butchers, \$9.20 to \$10.00; good heavy, \$9.55 to \$9.85; rough heavy, \$9.20 to \$9.35; light, \$9.30 to \$10.00; pigs, \$8.00 to \$9.35.

Cattle—Receipts, 14,000; market, steady to shade lower; beefs, \$7.20 to \$10.10; cows and heifers, \$3.65 to \$9.60; stockers and feeders, \$3.50 to \$8.40; Texans, \$3.35 to \$9.20; calves, \$8.50 to \$12.00.

Sheep—Receipts, 17,000; market, weak to shade lower; native, \$8.30 to \$8.75; western, \$7.10 to \$8.30; lambs, \$7.50 to \$10.50; western, \$7.75 to \$11.00.

Grain Yesterday Week Ago

WHEAT—July 110 1/2 109 1/2 Sept. 112 1/2 111 1/2

Foreign Markets

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, July 20.—Marine issues were weak in a market which elsewhere showed narrow and irregular changes at the opening of the Stock exchange today.

Marine preferred sold off six at 82 3/4, but soon recovered part of its loss. Munitions were up about half a point, while several leading rails were down fractionally.

Industrial Alcohol sold at 118 1/2 on reports that a big French contract for Alcohol had been closed. After the first few minutes trading showed no marked tendency in either direction.

The market was extremely dull and was almost without price change until 1:30, when Steel, Marine preferred, and some of the munition shares showed gains.

Industrial Alcohol had fallen back to 113 1/2 at noon. Marine preferred was the most active stock on the list, selling at 82 1/2 at noon after having sold as low as 81 1/2. Baldwin and Crucible were forced down 1 1/2 points and each recovered about a point.

The market closed firm.

New York Money

NEW YORK, July 20.—Money on call, 2 1/4 per cent; time money, 4 to 4 1/4 per cent; prime mercantile, 4 to 4 1/4 per cent; bar silver, London, 29 7/8d; New York, 62 3/4c; demand sterling, \$4.75 13-16.

Kansas City Livestock

CATTLE—Receipts, 5,500; market steady, 15c lower; steers, \$6 to \$10.50; cows and heifers, \$7.50 to \$10.50; stockers and feeders, \$6 to \$8; calves, \$6.50 to \$11.

Hogs—Receipts, 6,000; market strong, 5c higher; bulk, \$9.55 to \$9.65; heavy, \$9.75 to \$9.85; medium, \$9.65 to \$9.90; light, \$9.45 to \$9.70.

Sheep—Receipts, 3,000; market steady; lambs, \$9.75 to \$10.30; ewes, \$6.65 to \$7.10; stockers and feeders, \$6 to \$7.

Chicago Livestock

CHICAGO, July 20.—The hog market closed slow and a shade lower today. Trading was light. Estimated receipts for tomorrow were 14,000. Top for hogs was \$10.20. Cattle closed slow and weak with the top \$10.75.

Sheep closed steady to ten cents lower. Top for sheep \$9.30; lambs, \$10.40.

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., July 20.—Hogs—Receipts, 15,000; market, shade higher; mixed and butchers, \$9.20 to \$10.15; good heavy, \$9.55 to \$10.05; rough heavy, \$9.10 to \$9.35; light, \$4.30 to \$10.15; pigs, \$8.00 to \$9.35.

Cattle—Receipts, 3,500; market steady and weak; beefs, \$6.80 to \$10.75; cows and heifers, \$3.35 to \$9.80; stockers and feeders, \$3.20 to \$8.15; Texans, \$3.15 to \$9.10; calves, \$8

Gladiola Day Friday 60c and 75c per Dozen For the Season's Most Beautiful Flowers

Best Dairy Butter Friday. 23c per pound

DOERFLINGER'S

This Store Closes Every Wednesday at Noon



A Phenomenal Sale of Women's and Misses' Summer Street Dresses

These dresses consist of the entire stock of a New York Manufacturer's summer dresses, bought at a radical reduction in price, by our buyer who is now in the market. There are all sizes, styles to suit every taste, and in this large assortment you will find just the combination of color you want. See them in windows; then come up and try them on. This assortment contains dresses worth \$12.50, \$15.00 and \$18.50.

These Dresses will be Divided Into Three Lots:

LOT ONE	LOT TWO	LOT THREE
Dresses, values up to \$3.50, Friday and Saturday at	Dresses, values up to \$6.00, for Friday and Saturday at	Dresses, values up to \$12.50, \$15. and \$18.50, Friday and Saturday
\$1.98	\$3.15	\$7.85

COUPON SPECIALS JUST FOR FRIDAY SUMMER DRESS GOODS

\$1.25 40 INCH BLACK SILK POPLIN, 98c YARD
Bring coupon with you Friday and buy the best \$1.25 Black Silk Poplin, 40 inches wide.

\$1.25 42 INCH ENGLISH STRIPE MOHAIR, 69c YARD
The price for Friday will be just about half, if you bring coupon. Don't miss this bargain.

\$1.00 32 INCH WHITE VELVET CORDUROY, 75c YARD
The price for Friday will be just about half, if you bring coupon. Don't miss this bargain.

\$1.25 32 INCH BLACK TAFFETA SILK, \$1.00 YARD
By bringing coupon with you, you save enough on a dress pattern to make it worth your while.

30c 36 INCH SPORT STRIPE SKIRTINGS, 20c YARD
A new shipment of these much wanted sport stripes. Clip coupon to share in this great bargain.

UP TO 25c PRINTED WASH GOODS, 9c YARD
A clean up of a broken assortment, 27 to 40 inches wide, worth double the price. Bring coupon.

SPECIAL BARGAINS IN THE SHOE DEPARTMENT

Men's heavy Work Shoes, blucher lace style, heavy weight sole, leather heel, with tip, either black or tan kangaroo calf. Sizes 6 to 10. Pair **\$2.45**

Women's patent Colt Pumps, welt sole, leather Louis heel and white calf leather piping, pair **\$2.95**

Women's Lotus Tan Calf Lace Oxford, made on a good roomy last, pair **\$1.95**

Misses' and Children's White Canvas Baby Doll Pumps, with leather soles and heels **95c**

SPECIAL BARGAINS BOYS' DEPARTMENT

Boys' Sport Blouses, with long or short sleeve, lapelless style, in a variety of patterns, sizes 6 to 15 years, each **50c**

Boys' Tapeless Blouse, with high military collar and closed cuff, sizes 6 to 15 years, each **25c**

Boys' Crash Linen Wash Knickerbockers. These are cut large and are well made, sizes 6 to 16 years **75c**

GROCERY COMBINATIONS FRIDAY

NO. 1
Kellogg's Corn Flakes, 5c
Box (500) Matches, 5c
1 pound Lump Starch, 5c
All the above for **15c**

NO. 2
5 lbs. best Granulated Cane Sugar, 20c
Box (500) Matches, 5c
1 gallon Vinegar, 15c
1 pound Lump Starch, 5c
All the above for **50c**

NO. 3
1 pound Rio Coffee, 10c
1 pound Canned Milk, 10c
All the above for **20c**

NO. 4
5 lbs. best Granulated Cane Sugar, 20c
1 pound Royal Blend Coffee, 25c
1 box Oil Sardines, 5c
All the above for **50c**

NO. 5
5 lbs. best Granulated Cane Sugar, 20c
1 pound Japan Tea, 40c
All the above for **60c**

NO. 6
5 lbs. best Granulated Cane Sugar, 20c
1 pound of Spices of your own selection, 20c
All the above for **40c**

FLLOUR—48 pound sack of Granddaddy Flour **\$1.65**

32.00 worth of Extra Stamps, PEACHES—White Horse Peaches, No. 2 can **11c**

COCOA—48c worth of Stamps with each 10c purchase of Stollwerck's Chocolate or Cocoa.

THESE 20 BARGAINS WILL BE FOUND IN OUR BARGAIN BASEMENT FRIDAY SPECIALS ONLY

A package of Picnic Plates, 12 Napkins, the two articles for **5c**

Jelly Glasses, tin covers, dozen **18c**

Jelly Molds, crimped sides, dozen **17c**

Only a few Children's Hammocks left from the Managers' Sale at **50c**

White Lead, in 12 1/2 pound kits, pound **7c**

These dusty days one needs a good Floor Mop, O' Cedar 75c size Floor, Friday **48c**

The 25c size O' Cedar Oil, bottle **19c**

A few Screen Doors to close out at a big sacrifice. These are finished in natural wood. The regular \$1.50 kind **89c**

Glass Rolling Pins, 1 piece, The best Rolling Pin on the market at **23c**

Bath Room Fixtures, very special.

Tooth Brush **10c**

Holders at **39c**

Bath Brushes **39c**

Bath Tub Seats, white enamel **39c**

Boys' Velocipedes—Steel tires, at **\$1.69**

Rubber tires, at **\$3.50**

Boys' Automobiles, easy to run, a dandy **\$5.98**

Garbage Cans, with fly catchers attached, each **88c**

Grass Shears—not a toy, but guaranteed to cut the grass **25c**

Window Screens, 24 inches high **25c**

Brooms, Friday only **29c**

Two Burner Blue Flame Oil Stove, on high stand, at **\$6.48**

A new Mexican Shopping Basket. By getting it you can make it any shape, each **50c**

A Big Combination Offer 6 dozen Clothes Pins; one big gray Enamelled Tea Kettle, the two articles **29c**

Playing Cards, regular 10c and 15c packages, two packages for **15c**

CLOTHING SECTION

If you will present this coupon in our Men's Department, we will accept it as One Dollar part payment on the purchase of any of our Men's Light Weight Unlined Office Coats. — These Coats are made of black and gray materials, and sell at... \$2.98 and up

Choice of a splendid line of flowing end four-in-hand Ties, regularly **25c**

These are made generously large; the materials are excellent and an exceptional value. Choice **25c**

Entire stock of Men's Straw Hats, worth up to \$2.00, at **\$1.00** only

Come in and take your choice. None reserved.

GOPHER TROOPS FAR FROM READY FOR ACTIVE DUTY

Best Equipped of All State Militia at Brownsville But Are Far From Prepared

IOWANS LEAVE THURSDAY

Railroad Equipment Arrives and Battalion of Third Is the First to Entrain

CAMP LLANO-GRANDE, Texas, July 20.—If the Minnesota troops at Camp Llano-Grande were called upon today to go into actual warfare they would not be an efficient fighting force. This same statement, according to regular army officers here, applies to every national guard unit along the border. If there is war in Mexico, pray these officers, let it be delayed at least two months.

The Minnesota men, and the other militia commands, are neither trained nor equipped for field service. "It has been more than four weeks since the call for mobilization came, but the border today is furnishing just as many object lessons in unpreparedness as were furnished at Camp Bohliet and other home concentration points of the guard."

At least 110 mules and horses are needed by each Minnesota regiment. The First has three horses, the Third one, and the Second two.

DES MOINES, Ia., July 20.—The Chicago Great Western railroad Wednesday turned over to the Des Moines interurban the equipment necessary to take the first battalion of the Third Iowa infantry to the Brownsville, Texas concentration camp of the Iowa National Guard. It was stated at Camp Dodge that the battalion comprising Companies A, B, C and D probably would be on route before night Thursday.

It was learned Wednesday afternoon that almost every effort has been made to arrange for tourist sleepers for the men but that sufficient day coaches to accommodate the Third regiment have been concentrated at Oelwein, Ia., and will be used unless the tourist sleepers are forthcoming.

There was little possibility in the opinion of officers that the troop movement would begin before late Thursday. It was pointed out that with limited switching facilities coupled with the fact that the interurban line over which it will be necessary to transport the troops is a single track line, will make the movement slow.

About twenty-five cars divided into trains according to their weight will be required to move the first battalion.

Details for the departure of the Iowa guards were left to Colonel Morgan and General H. A. Allen, commanding the brigade. According to orders issued Tuesday night the Third infantry will be the first to entrain.

Worthington's Battalion Leads

The first troop train to leave Camp Dodge will take the First battalion of the Third regiment. This battalion is in command of Major E. C. Worthington of Des Moines.

Company B of Des Moines is included in the first battalion. The other companies are Company A of Winterset, Company C of Creston and Company D of Centerville.

Seventy-five cars will be required to carry the First regiment, which has approximately 1,200 enlisted men and officers.

The first trains will go over the Great Western, but all other western roads will assist in carrying other units. About sixty hours will be required for the trip to Brownsville.

While two women are going through the throes of kissing each other, man looks on in an attitude of helplessness.

Hutchinson, Minn., where they will visit with Mr. and Mrs. Thronson's daughter Mabelle.

C. A. Weider, wife and children of Mauston, Wis., were the guests of D. W. Robinson's over Sunday.

J. Carlson, electrician, has been repairing the works of the Tri-State telephone office the past week.

Little Miss Marion Omot, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Omot, while swinging in a hammock, received a fall which caused the dislocation of her shoulder.

F. Barton of Belfield, Wis., has been the guest of relatives and local friends the past week.

Dr. Fullerton, a former well known veterinary surgeon of this place, died at his home in Caledonia Tuesday.

Misses Glen Peterson and Norma Amidon have returned from Fergus Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Wahl, after spending a few days with Mr. Wahl's parents at Lanesboro, are now guests at the T. Chapel home.

J. Kerrigan and family motored to La Crosse Saturday.

The Misses Agnes and Ruth Onsgard left Monday for Milwaukee, where they will visit relatives.

Mrs. D. Clint Dyer and daughter Daphne have gone for a visit with Mrs. D's sister at Greenbush, Minn.

Ed Campbell left last week for Jackson, Mich., where he will visit his brother, B. Campbell and family.

LAIRD THRILLS BIG CROWD WITH REPEATED LOOPS

Chains of Somersaults High Above the Track Make the Race Fans Gasp

Looping the loop three and four times in succession several times, driving his Curtiss biplane upside down for several seconds at a time, dropping in the air and righting his machine to sail off smoothly in the clear sky above the fair grounds race track Wednesday afternoon, Emil Laird, 19-year-old loop-the-loop aeroplanist of Chicago gave a large audience at the racing meeting its fill of dare-devil flying on the closing day of the event.

Champion Safe Flyer

Frank Champion, riding in a Bleriot moled machine which he built himself several years ago, and which he says is the safest machine in America, also gave an exhibition of safe-and-sane flying. The only real thrill Champion gave his audience was when he drove his man-bird close to exploding bombs, shot into the air from behind a canvas fort opposite the grandstand.

The requests of a score of persons who wanted to fly with Champion and Laird were refused on account of the lack of space for starting and alighting inside the race track. The precaution the flyers took probably saved an accident when Champion landed at the close of his journey in the sky. His machine lit squarely in the center of the Normal athletic field, but veered off to one side suddenly and was nearly in a collision with the normal bleacher seats on the east side of the field.

In explaining why he never tried to loop the loop, Champion, who began his career seven years ago with Arch Hoxey, killed in Los Angeles in 1910, says that life is too good to lose in his youth. He is of the opinion that "straight flying" is as safe as automobiling, but that death comes sooner or later to the flyer who performs "stunts."

Laird Says Crowd Wants Thrills

Young Laird admits the danger of flying upside down, but says that the people demand "something exciting."

"The people are getting used to seeing a flying machine soar around in the air," he said. "They now demand that we endanger ourselves, and they are always looking for something new."

Laird was in the air for about fifteen minutes, but neither he nor Champion made second flights.

The crowd in the grandstand gasped when they saw the youthful birdman land his flyer in a field far outside the race track. Laird did not light in his usual place, he explained, because he feared there was not enough room for a safe landing.

MEAT INJURIOUS TO THE KIDNEYS

Take a tablespoonful of Salts if Back hurts or Bladder bothers.

We are a nation of meat eaters and our blood is filled with uric acid, says a well known authority, who warns us to be constantly on guard against kidney trouble.

The kidneys do their utmost to free the blood of this irritating acid, but become weak from the overwork; they get sluggish; the eliminative tissues clog and thus the waste is retained in the blood to poison the entire system.

When your kidneys ache and feel like lumps of lead, and you have stinging pains in the back or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment, or the bladder is irritable, obliging you to seek relief during the night; when you have severe headaches, nervous and dizzy spells, sleeplessness, acid stomach or rheumatism in bad weather, get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning and in a few days your kidneys will act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate clogged kidneys, to neutralize the acids in urine so it is no longer a source of irritation, thus ending urinary and bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure, makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink, and nobody can make a mistake by taking a little occasionally to keep the kidneys clean and active.

Verse and Reverse

SOUR GRAPES

I love to sit upon my cottage porch
And watch the rich ride by in fine
And machines
I love to see the handsome touring cars,
The cute coupes and ponderous limousines
I love the odor they all leave for me
To breathe long after they have hurried by;
I love to sit until I suffocate
In clouds of dirt and dust they have made fly.
I love to sit and listen to the honks
And shrieks and squeaks and squeals
They hurl at me.
They make night hideous and I
Forget my other troubles all you see.
So let them honk and snort and hit the breeze,
And burst their tires and suffer other ills
Let them enjoy what peace of mind they may;
I am content, I do not get the hills.

Uplifters are persons who know just how the world could be made better through the changing of the ways of others.

Free advice is often pretty expensive at that.

What is Castoria

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Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*.

DAILY PICTURE PUZZLE

What was it that performed with the clown?
Complete the picture by drawing a line through the dots. Begin at No. 1 and take them numerically.

HOUSTON CHOR TO GIVE CONCERT

HOUSTON, Minn., July 20.—(Special.)—Miss H. Louise Wright, instructor of the Rushford Lutheran church choir, with her large chorus of thirty singers, will give a concert at the St. Peter's Lutheran church of this city Sunday, July 23, at 7.45 p. m. The program will consist of four English and eight Norwegian songs and a lecture by Rev. J. Rockne. A collection will be taken at the close of the concert.

Left by Train

Monday morning a number of people were disappointed when the eastbound train on which they had planned to go, pulled out of Houston leaving them behind. They were unable to get to their train because the main track was blocked by the westbound train. They expected this

train to be "cut" and consequently made no further efforts to get to their train. While they were thus patiently waiting this train left. The accommodation given people by the C. M. & St. P. railroad is not always of the best.

Social Events

Mrs. W. A. Anderson entertained at a birthday supper at her home south of the village last Friday in honor of her mother, Mrs. L. Weom.

Mrs. J. B. Gerard entertained the

Reading club last Friday.

Miss Verna Robinson entertained a number of her friends at her home Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Winnie Cook of La Crosse.

Locals

Royal and Myrtle Parish of Rushford are visiting at the home of their uncle, A. Weom.

Mrs. Geslin and children of Grandy, Minn., are the guests at the C. T. Springstead home.

Mr. and Mrs. Thorval Thronson and son, Theodore, motored to

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